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## MEMORANDA.

**Trade.**—The oversea imports during December were valued at £2,304,315, which shows an increase of £303,174, or over 15 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. The total for the year 1911 was £27,330,340, an increase of £4,172,921, or 18 per cent. over the corresponding figures for 1910. There were increases in most of the principal articles—apparel and soft goods, cordage and twines, iron and steel, metal manufactures, machines and machinery, and timber.

The oversea exports for December amounted to £4,824,208, being an increase of £942,738, or over 24 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. For the year 1911 there was an increase in the oversea exports of £106,654, or  $\frac{1}{3}$  per cent. over the figures for the previous year.

Principal increases during the year were—

	£
Butter...	284,719
Minerals ...	260,815

Principal decreases during the same period were—

	£
Wool ...	2,092,301
Other Pastoral Produce ...	518,321
Wheat and Flour ...	112,600

Separating merchandise from gold, the exports of the former during the year decreased by £2,475,255, and the latter increased by £2,581,909.

**Imports at Sydney.**—Excluding the value of the imports from State ports, the articles imported at the port of Sydney in December were valued at £2,902,002. The following is a summary of the imports during the month :

	Weight and Measurement.	Value.	£
			tons.
Imports Oversea ...	121,303	2,213,395	
" Interstate ...	31,988	688,607	
" From State Ports ...	165,597	Not available.	
Transhipments—			
Oversea...	17,126	"	
Interstate	24,539	"	
To State Ports ...	10,176	"	

A few special articles, denoted by number in the detailed table within, have been converted into weight or measurement, and are included in the above statement. During the year 1911, the oversea imports were valued at £26,387,628, and the Interstate imports at £8,243,579, the total of the two being £34,631,207.

**Public Finances.**—The Public Accounts for December show that the net revenue for the month was £1,279,595, or £596,753 less than in December of last year, due principally to the large decrease in the amount returned from the Commonwealth. During the six months ended 31st December, the revenue was £7,267,173, being £390,736 less than the corresponding period of the last financial year.

Principal increases during the six months were—	£
From Taxation ... ... ...	158,991
" Railways and Tramways ...	230,542
" Sydney Harbour Trust ...	12,827
" Water and Sewerage Rates ...	14,089

Principal decreases during the same period were—	£
Commonwealth Returns ... ... ...	769,130
Lands ... ... ... ...	82,236

The expenditure during December was £1,160,661, an increase of £211,174 as compared with December of last year. During the six months the expenditure was £7,399,685, being £473,626, or nearly 7 per cent., more than in 1910–11.

Principal increases during the six months were—	£
Business Undertakings ... ... ...	303,971
Government Departments ... ... ...	92,279
Interest Repayments ... ... ...	77,376

On the 31st December, 1911, the Consolidated Revenue Account was in credit to the amount of £301,705.

**Shipping.**—During 1911, 230 more vessels entered the ports of the State, and 135 more cleared therefrom, than in 1910. The total tonnage of vessels trading with the State was 13,759,817, namely, 6,905,208 entered, and 6,854,609 cleared, steam vessels showing the large increase of over a million tons compared with 1910, while the tonnage of sailing vessels decreased.

**Oats Estimate, 1911–1912.**—The probable results of the Oats Crop for the present season in the principal divisions of the State may be seen on reference to Table No. 57, the particulars being based on information supplied by farmers.

It is estimated that the yield of grain will average 20·5 bushels per acre, as compared with 21·8 bushels for the years 1910–11. The average production for the past 10 years has been 19·5 bushels per acre. The hay crop is expected to yield 180,000 tons from 145,231 acres, or at an average of 1·24 tons per acre.

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**Gold Production.**—The gold yield during December was 22,632 oz. crude, equal to 18,865 oz. fine, valued at £80,133. The value of gold produced during the year 1911 was £769,353, and showed a decrease of £32,858, as compared with the year 1910.

The quantity of gold won up to the end of 1911 amounted to 13,833,480 oz. fine, valued at £58,760,846.

**Prices.**—The index numbers show that during 1911, the price of staple products were very slightly below those ruling in 1910, the average being less than 1 per cent. lower. They were, however, over 19 per cent. higher than in 1901. The index number for all articles was 1,194, for pastoral products, 1,194, and for minerals, 1,189. Frozen beef, lead, and tin showed substantial increases in value, but wheat, flour, wool, tallow, and sheepskins were cheaper than in 1910. The price of tin fluctuated throughout the year, but in December reached the highest figure yet recorded during the past eleven years. The pastoral products were about 2 per cent. lower and the minerals about 7 per cent. higher in prices than those ruling in 1910. The general index number for December was 1,239, being slightly higher than in November, and above that for the corresponding month of last year.

**Land Selections.**—During December 39 applications were made for 13,677 acres under the Crown Lands Act. For the year 1911 the number of applications was 1,234, and the area applied for 720,368 acres. The original area set apart for residential settlement during the year was 511,602 acres, representing 698 blocks.

**Meteorology.**—During the first week of December bounteous rains were experienced throughout New South Wales, with the result that the totals for the month were above the average. As in November, tracts of country in the Northern Tableland and Coast, Hunter and Manning district, and the south-east corner, including the South Coast and Southern Tableland, were not so favoured; but the greater portion of the area west of the mountains substantially benefited, some stations reporting as high as 3 inches in excess.

The rainfall during the year 1911 was highly satisfactory, and the season may be classed as one of the best experienced during the last ten years, as the total falls registered over fully five-sixths of the State were above the average, the exceptions being portions of the north-east district, western half of the southern tableland, the south-east corner, scattered places in Riverina, and the northern border west of the Barwon River. The abundant summer rains were responsible for these excess totals, the largest of which occurred on the coast and highlands; the records for the winter months, excepting July and during the best part of the Spring, were principally below normal.

At Sydney the total fall exceeded the average for the first time during the past eleven years.

**Vital Statistics—Sydney and Suburbs—December, 1911.**—The Births registered numbered 1,398, equal to 26·55 per 1,000 of population; of the total, 726 were males and 672 females. The rate is very satisfactory, being the highest for the month of December since the year 1902, and 8 per cent. above the average for the previous five years.

The total Deaths numbered 649, namely, 362 males and 287 females, equal to a rate of 12·32 per 1,000 of population, being 11 per cent. above the average for the previous five years.

The Infantile mortality was 117 per 1,000 births, being above the average for the previous five years, and the highest rate for the month of December since the year 1907.

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## No. 1.—Population.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1901	720,762	656,886	1,377,648	13,058	.6	1,367,450
1902	734,051	669,146	1,403,197	25,549	1.85	1,391,900
1903	744,951	679,798	1,424,749	21,552	1.53	1,414,100
1904	760,576	691,648	1,452,224	27,475	1.93	1,438,300
1905	777,923	706,155	1,484,078	31,854	2.19	1,468,000
1906	794,894	721,268	1,516,162	32,084	2.16	1,500,900
1907	814,585	738,418	1,553,003	36,841	2.43	1,537,750
1908	825,783	753,404	1,579,187	26,184	1.69	1,567,000
1909	838,527	768,698	1,607,225	28,038	1.78	1,592,000
1910	854,165	785,557	1,639,722	32,497	2.02	1,622,200
1911—Census, 2nd Apr.	858,850	789,896	1,648,746	.....	.....	.....
1911—30th June	865,241	794,533	1,659,774	.....	.....	.....
1911—30th September	873,796	800,798	1,674,594	.....	.....	.....

The population includes Aborigines of full-blood, viz., 4,117 in 1901; 3,889 in 1902; 3,662 in 1903; 3,434 in 1904; 3,206 in 1905; 2,979 in 1906; 2,751 in 1907; 2,522 in 1908; 2,294 in 1909; 2,066 in 1910; and 2,012 in 1911.

The population since 1st January, 1911, is, exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 2nd April was 1,714, of whom 992 were males and 722 females.

## No. 2.—Marriages, Births, and Deaths.

Year.	Marriages.	Births.		Deaths.		Excess of Births over Deaths.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Numerical.	Per 1,000 of Population.
1900	9,996	18,964	18,182	8,951	6,167	22,028	16.26
1901	10,538	19,149	18,726	9,327	6,694	21,854	15.98
1902	10,486	19,322	18,513	9,535	7,111	21,189	15.10
1903	9,759	18,377	17,589	9,428	7,069	19,469	13.71
1904	10,422	19,857	18,810	8,733	6,627	23,307	16.11
1905	10,970	20,206	19,295	8,709	6,269	24,523	16.58
1906	11,551	21,066	19,882	8,715	6,260	25,973	17.15
1907	12,189	21,616	20,579	9,429	6,981	25,785	16.58
1908	12,642	21,643	20,882	9,323	6,767	26,435	16.64
1909	13,048	22,499	21,270	9,202	6,638	27,929	17.19
1910	14,294	23,443	22,090	9,349	6,842	29,342	17.61
Jan. to Sept., 1911	11,283	18,292	17,398	7,477	5,465	22,748	.....
" " 1910	10,610	17,596	16,573	6,812	5,072	22,285	.....
July to Sept., 1911	3,569	6,386	6,109	2,676	1,945	7,874	.....
" " 1910	3,485	6,217	5,799	2,338	1,761	7,917	.....

The figures in above table, since 1st January, 1911, are exclusive of results of Federal Capital Area.

## No. 3.—Movement of Population.

Year.	Arrivals.						Departures.					
	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		Males.	Females.
1901 ... ... ... 50,234 25,905 56,342 31,132 163,613 45,356 25,066 69,178 32,639 172,239												
1902 ... ... ... 54,942 26,249 52,080 27,379 160,650 44,947 23,819 58,443 28,853 156,062												
1903 ... ... ... 46,121 24,449 55,034 26,739 152,343 40,973 23,947 58,101 27,012 150,033												
1904 ... ... ... 48,700 24,278 55,917 27,367 156,262 40,912 23,965 59,074 27,915 151,866												
1905 ... ... ... 47,872 26,298 65,061 33,074 172,305 40,033 24,911 66,920 32,852 164,746												
1906 ... ... ... 50,257 29,208 75,352 38,518 193,335 42,603 27,583 78,256 38,555 186,997												
1907 ... ... ... 63,759 34,516 93,153 47,061 238,489 51,874 31,072 97,404 46,855 227,205												
1908 ... ... ... 65,661 35,195 94,884 48,685 244,425 60,962 33,490 100,573 49,422 244,447												
1909 ... ... ... 69,330 36,980 96,069 48,131 250,510 63,713 34,312 102,109 50,039 250,173												
1910 ... ... ... 72,421 39,104 108,870 54,821 275,216 60,126 36,079 113,491 56,137 271,833												
July to Sept., 1911 ... 20,102 9,991 33,297 15,891 79,281 16,243 7,953 32,311 15,828 72,335												
," 1910 ... 15,869 8,388 26,326 12,967 63,550 12,944 6,820 27,576 12,997 60,337												
Jan. to Sept., 1911 ... 65,762 35,545 95,870 48,368 245,545 56,222 31,328 95,574 48,535 231,659												
," 1910 ... 51,592 27,836 77,433 39,383 196,244 47,928 26,116 80,680 39,816 194,540												

## No. 4.—Countries whence Immigrants arrived.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1901 ... ... ... 87,474 46,982 4,579 13,706 10,872 163,613						
1902 ... ... ... 79,458 40,900 4,864 13,161 16,267 160,650						
1903 ... ... ... 81,773 42,529 4,249 12,868 10,924 152,343						
1904 ... ... ... 83,283 42,910 4,842 14,314 10,913 156,262						
1905 ... ... ... 98,135 44,315 4,859 15,093 9,903 172,305						
1906 ... ... ... 113,870 48,294 5,641 16,525 9,005 193,335						
1907 ... ... ... 140,214 58,734 7,895 20,137 11,509 238,489						
1908 ... ... ... 143,569 56,582 10,366 20,277 13,631 244,425						
1909 ... ... ... 144,200 55,285 15,057 23,040 12,928 250,510						
1910 ... ... ... 163,691 58,146 16,537 22,410 14,432 275,216						
July to Sept., 1911 ... 49,188 14,109 5,054 5,347 5,583 79,281						
," 1910 ... 39,293 12,082 4,241 4,144 3,790 63,550						
Jan. to Sept., 1911 ... 144,238 51,364 15,520 21,361 13,062 245,545						
," 1910 ... 116,816 41,119 11,772 15,801 10,736 196,244						

## No. 5.—Countries for which Emigrants departed.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1901 ... ... ... 101,817 44,308 5,229 12,178 8,707 172,239						
1902 ... ... ... 87,296 37,187 6,077 13,062 12,440 156,062						
1903 ... ... ... 85,113 35,621 5,240 13,472 10,587 150,033						
1904 ... ... ... 86,989 36,615 5,956 13,041 9,265 151,866						
1905 ... ... ... 99,772 37,518 5,612 12,559 9,285 164,746						
1906 ... ... ... 116,811 40,259 4,721 15,705 9,441 186,997						
1907 ... ... ... 144,259 48,051 4,827 19,773 10,295 227,205						
1908 ... ... ... 149,995 54,400 7,132 21,149 11,771 244,447						
1909 ... ... ... 152,148 60,893 6,656 17,521 12,955 250,173						
1910 ... ... ... 169,628 63,081 7,702 16,958 14,464 271,833						
July to Sept., 1911 ... 48,139 14,546 1,442 4,044 4,164 72,335						
," 1910 ... 40,573 12,003 1,104 3,597 3,060 60,337						
Jan. to Sept., 1911 ... 144,109 55,172 7,488 12,032 12,858 231,659						
," 1910 ... 120,496 45,816 6,466 11,085 10,677 194,540						

## No. 6.—Principal Causes of Death—Nine Months—January to September.

Causes of Death.	Sydney and Suburbs.						New South Wales.					
	1911.			1910.			1911.			1910.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.				
General Diseases—												
Typhoid Fever	15	24	39	78	82	67	149	245				
Measles	2	2	3	30	16	9	25	55				
Scarlet Fever	1	2	3	7	6	4	10	19				
Whooping-cough	25	29	54	24	66	63	129	64				
Diphtheria and Croup	19	26	45	56	97	93	190	199				
Influenza	30	25	55	19	83	71	154	92				
Dysentery	...	2	2	3	15	10	25	39				
Plague	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Other Epidemic Diseases	3	5	8	8	17	13	30	20				
Septicæmia	11	10	21	10	18	20	38	24				
Tetanus	6	7	13	7	27	9	36	21				
Tuberculosis—Lungs	195	138	333	318	505	324	829	757				
Other Organs	29	21	50	69	57	45	102	128				
General	5	3	8	7	12	7	19	13				
Syphilis	18	12	30	27	25	25	50	39				
Cancer	183	240	423	419	478	427	905	875				
Rheumatism	13	14	27	37	42	32	74	100				
Diabetes	21	27	48	52	49	62	111	118				
Exophthalmic Goitre	1	10	11	15	1	16	17	21				
Anæmia	18	26	44	34	36	45	81	61				
Other General Diseases	32	12	44	35	80	26	106	99				
Local Diseases—												
Meningitis	35	12	47	41	70	42	112	107				
Diseases of Spinal Cord	34	13	47	30	69	23	92	61				
Hæmorrhage, &c., of Brain	109	133	242	190	258	264	522	434				
General Paralysis of Insane	49	4	53	34	65	6	71	50				
Convulsions of Infants	13	20	33	44	55	46	101	129				
Other Nervous Diseases	53	49	102	97	138	100	238	243				
Acute Endocarditis	15	14	29	17	35	25	60	34				
Organic Diseases of Heart	297	283	580	457	741	572	1,313	1,129				
Other Diseases Circulatory System	74	51	125	99	163	93	256	214				
Bronchitis	90	94	184	137	272	211	483	360				
Pneumonia, Broncho-pneumonia	191	129	320	256	443	337	780	622				
Other Diseases Respiratory System	39	31	70	50	134	68	202	146				
Diseases of Stomach	31	38	69	53	74	74	148	115				
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2)	150	128	278	319	340	284	624	814				
" (over 2)	36	29	65	68	111	85	196	221				
Appendicitis	22	14	36	31	44	38	82	84				
Intestinal Obstruction	24	29	53	35	61	57	118	93				
Cirrhosis of Liver	37	20	57	36	61	30	91	77				
Other Diseases Digestive System	29	31	60	85	77	78	155	183				
Nephritis	193	140	333	262	398	224	622	565				
Other Diseases Urinary System	47	15	52	53	109	12	121	131				
Diseases of Genital Organs	1	128	29	24	1	43	44	38				
Puerperal Condition	...	92	92	78	...	226	226	206				
Diseases of Skin	21	15	36	30	51	30	81	73				
Diseases of Bones, &c.	11	9	20	10	18	13	31	17				
Congenital Malformations	17	9	26	36	61	37	98	100				
Diseases of Infancy	219	155	374	354	572	436	1,008	915				
Senility	77	134	211	162	510	375	885	663				
Violence—												
Suicide	47	18	65	44	116	30	146	121				
Accident	169	55	224	197	554	150	704	666				
Homicide	6	9	15	14	14	15	29	35				
Not-Classed (Open Verdict)	11	4	15	18	42	6	48	52				
Ill-defined Causes	19	21	40	47	112	72	184	197				
Total ...	2,793	2,449	5,242	4,663	7,481	5,470	12,951	11,884				

Approximate Mean Annual Death-rate per 1,000 of Population—

Sydney and Suburbs.

New South Wales.

1900-1910.

1911.

10·18

10·37

11·03

9·46

1911.

## NEW SOUTH WALES

No. 7.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, 1906 to 1911.

Article.	1906.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Ale, Beer, &c. ...	... 118,229	145,028	143,170	145,484	139,454	175,172
Animals ...	... 59,621	60,210	66,198	61,431	206,324	.....
Apparel and Attire ...	... 889,733	990,981	839,235	915,985	1,020,159	5,739,716
Piece Goods ...	... 2,710,981	3,126,716	2,818,715	3,001,397	3,527,673	5,739,716
Boots and Shoes ...	... 115,381	132,891	133,430	132,757	174,897	161,230
Cordage and Twines ...	... 39,611	54,046	270,103	279,505	276,299	316,695
Drugs, Chemicals & Medicines	158,052	243,865	296,528	290,237	312,246	.....
Fish—all kinds ...	... 98,577	126,841	206,375	168,882	195,516	220,134
Fruits and Vegetables ...	... 105,559	139,762	134,115	180,218	122,580	132,199
Furniture ...	... 97,782	117,172	88,623	98,434	94,591	.....
Glass and Glassware ...	... 113,189	165,477	159,593	160,692	178,734	.....
Gold—Coined and Uncoined ...	1,586,999	1,048,343	608,655	587,362	520,236	1,077,716
Grain—Rice ...	... 96,597	112,098	120,422	92,845	113,081	.....
Hats and Caps ...	... 151,809	178,561	171,826	183,122	151,129	164,128
Iron and Steel—Bar, Rod, &c.	311,445	369,716	335,919	280,639	388,028	520,246
Plate and Sheet ...	... 296,066	398,722	357,497	579,850	527,926	527,985
Leather ...	... 168,956	181,209	138,198	172,548	143,797	146,485
Machines and Machinery—						
Agricultural ...	... 79,101	101,741	127,292	143,064	215,103	213,382
Other ...	... 800,353	1,301,124	1,447,120	1,484,649	1,358,360	1,695,371
Metal Manufactures ...	... 1,208,343	1,476,895	1,304,797	1,204,545	1,398,832	1,762,264
Oil—Kerosene ...	... 111,785	153,014	125,955	195,964	161,115	149,020
Spirits ...	... 330,171	455,853	447,654	465,236	472,686	548,080
Sugar ...	... 190,466	45,783	208,782	737,539	397,794	336,748
Tea ...	... 381,069	512,656	460,034	475,807	560,475	540,761
Timber ...	... 526,413	652,317	710,727	748,629	820,125	1,164,555
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	... 258,371	354,705	394,943	269,960	373,364	434,551
Wool ...	... 1,385	7,913	4,682	9,063	2,076	.....
Other Articles ...	... 6,598,359	8,207,652	7,707,898	7,822,115	9,375,793	11,303,902
Total ...	£ 17,603,503	20,860,391	19,828,486	20,888,019	23,238,993	27,330,340

No. 8.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, 1909 to 1911.

Article.	1909.		1910.		1911.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Animals, Living ...	... .....	60,235	.....	82,724	.....	.....
Butter ...	... lb. 17,987,595	779,792	27,385,201	1,239,639	33,983,464	1,524,358
Coal ...	... tons 1,582,336	838,809	1,701,434	909,055	1,701,687	906,438
Copper, Ingots, & Matte ...	... .....	1,125,973	.....	1,365,424	.....	1,496,263
Gold—Coined and Uncoined ...	... .....	2,142,401	.....	1,549,287	.....	4,135,998
Grain—Wheat ...	... cental 1,913,052	684,901	6,696,971	2,381,142	7,334,047	2,168,852
Flour ...	... " 433,151	231,227	579,923	266,722	879,916	366,412
Leather ...	... .....	281,561	.....	337,141	.....	321,026
Meats—Mutton and Lamb	lb. 56,384,554	551,796	90,729,476	1,007,883	59,948,989	682,027
Rabbits & Hares	prs. 7,172,150	329,020	8,007,068	406,762	6,806,446	330,754
Oil—Cocoanut ...	cwt. 90,243	123,423	105,069	192,145	101,914	181,029
Ores ...	... .....	191,272	.....	473,548	.....	996,686
Skins—Hides ...	... .....	261,410	.....	245,669	.....	347,167
Sheep ...	No. 3,680,847	395,674	3,488,622	437,245	2,432,478	264,667
Rabbit and Hare	lb. 3,135,800	160,372	5,650,400	329,616	5,818,839	296,678
Other ...	... .....	441,608	.....	589,841	.....	362,984
Silver, Lead, Concentrates, &c. ...	... .....	1,572,392	.....	1,250,693	.....	1,230,299
Tallow ...	... cwt. 530,667	697,566	648,031	976,335	629,158	897,763
Timber ...	... .....	259,096	.....	264,211	.....	284,750
Tin, Ingots ...	cwt. 73,529	496,684	55,170	428,018	46,378	426,197
Wool—Greasy and Scoured	lb. 292,751,777	12,148,346	332,495,839	14,242,386	301,727,885	12,150,085
All other Articles ...	... .....	2,272,131	.....	3,059,965	.....	2,773,659
Total ...	£ .....	26,044,789	.....	32,035,451	.....	32,144,092

## No. 9.—Trade.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.		
	Interstate.	Oversea.	Total.	Interstate.	Oversea.	Total.
1901 ... ...	£ 9,368,011	£ 17,560,207	£ 26,928,218	£ 9,140,497	£ 18,210,625	£ 27,351,122
1902 ... ...	£ 10,949,675	£ 15,024,535	£ 25,974,210	£ 7,568,922	£ 15,975,129	£ 23,544,051
1903 ... ...	£ 12,792,252	£ 13,977,917	£ 26,770,169	£ 7,876,898	£ 18,941,161	£ 26,818,059
1904 ... ...	£ 14,152,101	£ 13,133,857	£ 27,285,958	£ 9,918,050	£ 23,086,484	£ 33,004,534
1905 ... ...	£ 14,938,885	£ 14,485,123	£ 29,424,008	£ 12,263,472	£ 24,518,534	£ 36,782,006
1906 ... ...	£ 17,061,860	£ 17,603,503	£ 34,665,363	£ 14,651,156	£ 30,986,888	£ 45,638,044
1907 ... ...	£ 18,595,804	£ 20,860,391	£ 39,456,195	£ 15,880,905	£ 32,894,073	£ 48,774,978
1908 ... ...	£ 17,814,260	£ 19,828,486	£ 37,642,746	£ 14,105,050	£ 26,880,709	£ 40,985,759
1909 ... ...	£ 17,146,943	£ 20,888,019	£ 38,034,962	£ 15,792,608	£ 26,044,789	£ 41,837,397
1910 ... ...	* £ 12,623,428	£ 23,238,993	†	† £ 10,307,115	£ 32,035,451	†
1911 ... ...	†	£ 27,330,340	†	†	£ 32,144,092	†

\* Information 1st January to 13th September inclusive.

† Not available.

to 13th September inclusive.

‡ Information 1st January

## No. 10.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Imports—Monthly.

Month.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1911.
January ...	£ 1,438,928	£ 1,679,245	£ 1,630,521	£ 1,594,389	£ 2,925,253	(+) 310,864
February ...	£ 1,625,635	£ 1,680,664	£ 1,581,509	£ 1,787,707	£ 2,213,755	(+) 426,048
March ...	£ 1,358,007	£ 1,626,120	£ 1,850,828	£ 1,981,837	£ 2,301,521	(+) 319,684
April ...	£ 1,673,877	£ 1,396,944	£ 1,239,169	£ 1,803,904	£ 1,983,256	(+) 179,352
May ...	£ 1,813,612	£ 1,244,709	£ 1,721,093	£ 1,566,569	£ 2,315,784	(+) 749,215
June ...	£ 1,463,021	£ 1,626,773	£ 1,543,617	£ 1,494,842	£ 1,883,918	(+) 389,076
July ...	£ 1,917,710	£ 1,958,340	£ 1,696,543	£ 2,234,587	£ 2,731,447	(+) 496,860
August ...	£ 1,643,481	£ 1,865,306	£ 1,914,908	£ 2,340,584	£ 2,627,206	(+) 286,622
September ...	£ 2,180,649	£ 1,696,342	£ 1,794,252	£ 2,232,402	£ 2,280,737	(+) 48,335
October ...	£ 1,832,102	£ 1,605,587	£ 1,684,483	£ 2,036,380	£ 2,266,024	(+) 229,644
November ...	£ 1,839,020	£ 1,691,479	£ 1,851,897	£ 2,083,077	£ 2,517,124	(+) 434,047
December ...	£ 2,151,309	£ 1,707,821	£ 2,352,164	£ 2,001,141	£ 2,304,315	(+) 303,174
Total (12 m'ths.)	£ 20,937,351	£ 19,779,330	£ 20,860,984	£ 23,157,419	£ 27,330,340	(+) 4,172,921

## No. 11.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Exports—Monthly.

Month.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1911.
January ...	£ 3,486,107	£ 1,452,638	£ 2,676,430	£ 2,452,633	£ 1,820,848	(-) 631,785
February ...	£ 3,193,924	£ 3,105,116	£ 2,333,048	£ 3,400,540	£ 3,193,944	(-) 207,496
March ...	£ 3,383,427	£ 2,250,788	£ 2,425,668	£ 3,044,957	£ 2,946,502	(-) 98,395
April ...	£ 2,002,802	£ 1,698,615	£ 1,036,389	£ 2,068,665	£ 1,896,870	(-) 171,795
May ...	£ 1,862,384	£ 1,625,290	£ 1,566,581	£ 1,893,630	£ 1,728,681	(-) 164,949
June ...	£ 1,927,063	£ 1,712,681	£ 1,179,175	£ 1,739,692	£ 1,530,393	(-) 209,299
July ...	£ 1,609,860	£ 1,570,784	£ 1,367,072	£ 1,503,556	£ 1,614,137	(+) 110,581
August ...	£ 1,792,539	£ 1,591,680	£ 1,057,151	£ 2,023,266	£ 2,025,718	(+) 2,452
September ...	£ 2,369,518	£ 2,300,867	£ 1,946,938	£ 2,280,250	£ 3,096,725	(+) 816,475
October ...	£ 3,737,052	£ 2,701,501	£ 3,035,309	£ 3,872,014	£ 3,733,617	(-) 138,397
November ...	£ 4,069,742	£ 3,451,771	£ 3,300,350	£ 3,876,765	£ 3,733,289	(-) 143,476
December ...	£ 3,529,708	£ 3,417,018	£ 3,520,675	£ 3,881,470	£ 4,824,208	(+) 942,738
Total (12 m'ths.)	£ 32,964,126	£ 26,878,749	£ 26,044,786	£ 32,037,438	£ 32,144,092	(+) 106,654

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No. 12.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea during December, and during the twelve months January to December.

Article.	1911.				1910.			
	Quantity.		Value.		Quantity.		Value.	
	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Total.
December.								
Animals—Horses ... No.	35	35	£ 669	£ 669	150	150	£ 4,859	£ 4,859
Butter ... ... lb.	2,898,451	2,898,451	161,287	161,287	5,288,138	5,288,138	233,701	233,701
Coal ... ... ton	220,631	220,631	116,925	116,925	181,219	181,219	96,290	96,290
Copper, Ingots & Matte cwt.	48,217	48,217	143,359	143,359	49,248	49,248	141,738	141,738
Fruits—Fresh ... ... cwt.	2,815	2,914	2,531	2,654	3,529	3,877	2,846	3,223
Gold—Coined, Uncoined	.....	.....	1,091,054	1,096,796	.....	.....	148,004	148,004
Grain—Wheat ... ... cwt.	645,375	645,375	199,791	199,791	230,706	230,706	76,009	76,009
Flour ... ... "	92,030	92,030	37,796	37,796	59,111	59,111	26,296	26,296
Lead ... ... cwt.	170,977	170,977	125,391	125,391	181,942	181,942	109,344	109,344
Leather ... ... "	.....	.....	34,571	35,159	.....	.....	30,428	31,163
Meats—Beef ... ... lb.	661,214	661,214	8,292	8,292	716,151	716,151	8,634	8,634
Mutton & Lamb ,,	5,105,907	5,105,907	57,738	57,738	12,655,663	12,655,663	138,003	138,003
Rabbits & Hares pair	160,916	160,916	9,168	9,168	277,937	277,937	15,240	15,240
Meat—Preserved ... lb.	1,980,672	1,981,693	39,534	39,587	2,623,366	2,625,423	49,996	50,092
Oil—Cocoanut ... ... cwt.	7,899	7,899	15,012	15,012	8,757	8,757	17,937	17,937
Ores, Spelter, &c. ...	.....	.....	123,305	123,305	.....	.....	149,829	149,835
Silver Bullion ... ... oz.	313,150	314,232	32,049	32,157	303,158	303,158	30,606	30,606
Skins—Hides ... ... No.	35,572	35,583	40,741	40,752	29,252	29,252	27,862	27,862
Sheep ... ... "	337,982	337,982	38,251	38,251	375,188	375,188	42,231	42,231
Rabbit & Hare... lb.	204,537	204,537	9,140	9,140	228,522	228,522	10,682	10,682
Other ... ... "	.....	.....	43,916	43,973	.....	.....	43,050	43,050
Tallow ... ... cwt.	57,677	57,677	57,689	57,689	80,813	80,813	107,151	107,184
Timber ... ... "	.....	.....	18,902	20,029	.....	.....	28,936	30,407
Tin, Ingots, &c. ... ... cwt.	4,580	4,580	44,008	44,008	5,845	5,845	49,126	49,126
Wine ... ... gal.	2,693	2,849	808	932	8,575	8,719	2,489	2,587
Wool ... ... lb.	55,336,987	55,336,987	2,166,682	2,166,682	50,793,450	50,973,450	2,093,503	2,093,503
Other Articles ... ... "	.....	.....	83,509	174,542	.....	.....	94,453	103,864
Total ... £	.....	4,725,224	4,824,208	.....	.....	3,779,243	3,881,470	
January to December.								
Animals—Horses ... No.	1,677	1,726	£ 47,273	£ 56,754	1,955	1,961	£ 58,301	£ 62,876
Butter ... ... lb.	33,083,464	33,083,464	1,534,358	1,524,358	27,351,993	27,395,201	1,237,962	1,239,639
Coal ... ... ton	1,701,687	1,701,687	906,438	906,438	1,602,869	1,703,119	910,161	911,251
Copper, Ingots & Matte cwt.	526,048	526,048	1,496,203	1,496,263	480,699	480,699	1,364,042	1,364,042
Fruits—Fresh ... ... cwt.	62,716	63,154	44,323	44,788	56,188	57,729	40,683	42,281
Gold—Coined, Uncoined	.....	.....	4,130,256	4,135,998	.....	.....	1,554,089	1,554,089
Grain—Wheat ... ... cwt.	7,334,047	7,334,047	2,168,852	2,168,852	6,666,973	6,696,973	2,381,142	2,381,142
Flour ... ... "	879,902	879,916	366,404	366,412	568,923	568,923	266,722	266,722
Lead ... ... cwt.	1,587,250	1,587,250	1,006,030	1,006,030	1,641,879	1,641,882	968,151	968,380
Leather ... ... "	.....	.....	305,794	321,026	.....	.....	323,568	337,141
Meats—Beef ... ... lb.	8,294,830	8,294,830	76,180	76,180	8,745,361	8,745,361	97,878	97,878
Mutton & Lamb ,,	59,948,989	59,948,989	682,027	682,027	90,729,476	90,729,476	1,007,883	1,007,883
Rabbits & Hares pair	6,806,146	8,006,446	330,754	330,754	8,007,068	8,007,068	406,762	406,762
Meat—Preserved ... lb.	22,219,946	22,249,579	434,408	435,579	19,493,440	19,508,163	357,520	358,163
Oil—Cocoanut ... ... cwt.	101,892	101,914	180,978	181,029	105,069	105,069	192,145	192,145
Ores, Spelter, &c. ...	.....	.....	996,435	996,686	.....	.....	878,301	878,519
Silver Bullion ... ... oz.	2,314,721	2,315,803	224,161	224,269	2,511,977	2,511,977	244,858	244,858
Skins—Hides ... ... No.	332,158	322,177	347,143	347,167	233,962	234,062	245,455	245,669
Sheep ... ... "	2,432,478	2,432,478	264,667	264,667	3,488,623	3,488,623	437,245	437,245
Rabbit & Hare... lb.	5,818,839	5,818,839	296,678	296,678	5,649,218	5,650,400	329,490	329,616
Other ... ... "	.....	.....	362,768	362,984	.....	.....	589,632	589,841
Tallow ... ... cwt.	628,651	629,158	897,000	897,763	647,680	648,131	975,691	976,335
Timber ... ... "	.....	.....	267,793	284,750	.....	.....	243,005	264,038
Tin, Ingots, &c. ... ... cwt.	46,378	46,378	426,197	426,197	55,170	55,170	428,018	428,018
Wine ... ... gal.	68,601	71,209	17,470	19,231	39,812	42,205	11,658	13,413
Wool ... ... lb.	391,727,885	391,727,885	12,150,085	12,150,085	332,493,029	332,493,839	14,242,290	14,242,386
Other Articles ... ... "	.....	.....	1,044,669	2,141,127	.....	.....	1,073,974	2,197,106
Total ... £	.....	30,995,404	32,144,092	.....	.....	30,866,086	32,037,438	

Note.—The difference between the value of Australian produce exported and the total export represents the value of produce of oversea origin re-exported.

No 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea during December, and during the twelve months January to December.

Article.	December.			January to December.		
	1909.	1910.	1911.	1909.	1910.	1911.
Ale and Beer ... ...	12,957	16,710	19,952	143,048	138,657	175,172
Apparel and Soft Goods ...	274,183	303,520	323,320	4,587,579	5,366,163	5,739,716
Boots and Shoes ...	16,061	7,761	11,094	118,790	153,350	161,230
Confectionery ...	4,314	3,514	13,236	44,911	41,115	123,997
Cordage and Twines ...	25,562	30,981	28,561	279,269	276,275	316,695
Fish—all Kinds ...	41,957	43,480	32,196	168,882	195,516	220,134
Fruits—Fresh ...	18,006	10,253	14,567	108,882	58,593	132,199
Gold—Coined and Uncoined ...	54,938	119,902	70,257	585,578	527,431	1,077,716
Hats and Caps ...	11,899	7,582	12,220	122,993	151,323	164,128
Implements—Agricultural ...	13,236	21,010	22,062	131,508	214,688	213,382
Iron and Steel—Bar, Rod, &c. ...	32,513	42,526	35,642	343,358	456,044	520,246
Do Galvd. Sheet ...	40,778	46,169	47,746	477,232	527,926	527,985
Leather ...	8,964	6,292	20,533	173,305	139,299	146,485
Machines and Machinery ...	101,778	102,124	130,297	1,487,916	1,358,329	1,695,371
<b>Metal Manufactures—</b>						
Datable ... ...	34,544	48,697	76,447	483,782	618,266	853,514
Free ... ...	63,541	71,985	76,872	717,067	781,213	908,750
Milk—Preserved ...	8,367	8,339	345	75,196	65,886	48,593
Oil—Kerosene ...	14,236	22,341	24,403	195,964	161,115	149,020
Spirits ... ...	113,643	42,845	84,504	464,297	472,710	548,080
Sugar ... ...	413,922	67,061	73,506	724,378	307,794	336,748
Tea ... ...	42,551	28,386	23,936	475,807	560,475	540,761
Timber ... ...	67,951	82,146	70,219	751,463	820,107	1,164,555
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ...	52,344	48,385	51,965	269,806	373,264	434,551
Wine ... ...	3,196	1,293	2,045	13,312	16,636	17,283
Other articles ... ...	880,723	818,739	1,036,229	7,910,661	9,375,250	11,114,029
Total ... ...	2,352,164	2,001,141	2,304,315	20,860,984	23,157,419	27,330,340

No. 14.—Staple Produce Exported Oversea each Month.

Month.	Wool.	Wheat and Flour.	Butter.	Gold (coined and uncoined).	Lead and Silver-lead.	Copper.	Coal.
1910.							
January ...	1,122,574	409,266	148,527	145,061	23,725	51,292	2,496
February ...	2,078,587	429,314	148,331	159,218	50,439	44,734	333
March ...	1,548,569	412,553	207,956	96,018	64,000	125,131	39,416
April ...	605,884	325,192	127,184	301,020	89,489	116,730	121,925
May ...	303,414	196,678	32,576	106,674	84,877	129,688	138,464
June ...	407,752	42,407	7,717	201,700	83,852	143,899	82,463
July ...	331,402	53,998	4,733	71,008	71,053	102,942	74,278
August ...	430,741	141,708	56,641	134,069	115,054	128,401	104,393
September ...	620,736	298,501	51,289	219,635	83,723	120,369	81,379
October ...	2,367,714	107,437	95,428	91,491	74,575	125,900	74,758
November ...	2,271,414	128,505	123,879	101,156	118,020	133,218	93,966
December ...	2,093,503	102,305	233,701	148,004	109,344	141,738	96,290
1911.							
January ...	511,642	293,327	206,349	65,568	55,911	78,585	70,654
February ...	1,754,248	351,827	202,183	60,788	38,061	135,963	62,151
March ...	1,109,815	485,783	255,318	121,632	91,896	129,977	47,868
April ...	481,430	264,517	133,803	190,071	77,528	127,340	77,777
May ...	380,200	103,810	43,138	211,316	91,636	132,449	91,401
June ...	294,143	121,402	69,432	169,560	76,108	102,532	69,514
July ...	208,453	116,478	13,132	177,083	89,633	140,007	55,666
August ...	465,195	136,440	17,377	265,386	100,772	117,452	96,220
September ...	1,129,708	178,961	32,288	630,907	100,935	142,395	75,336
October ...	1,697,417	127,919	121,168	713,874	71,284	177,356	81,645
November ...	1,951,152	117,205	268,883	433,017	85,875	69,748	61,281
December ...	2,166,682	237,587	161,287	1,091,054	125,391	143,359	116,925

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## No. 15.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during December, 1911.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Article.	Oversea.†		Interstate.			State.	
	Quantity.	Measure- ment.	Quantity.	Measure- ment.	Value.	Quantity.	Measure- ment.
Agricultural Implements	tons	19	tons.	43	9,651	.....	....
Ale, Beer, and Stout	....	1,471	....	80	1,036	.....	178
Animals—Horses	No.	226	....	48	8,114	69	....
Horned Cattle	"	....	....	1	100	84	....
Calves	"	....	....	....	....	1,254	....
Pigs	"	....	....	....	....	6,849	....
Bacon and Hams	....	tons	34	....	274	15,876	.....
Bananas	....	bchs.	48,204	....	2,949	382	350
"	....	cases	2,802	....	565	299	52
Boots, Shoes, &c.	....	tons	2	159	....	31,599	....
Bullion—Gold and Silver	ewt.	12½ ewt.	....	7 ewt.	....	70,822	33 lb.
Butter	....	tons	....	....	8	542	....
Cement	....	....	608	49	....	1	23
Candles, tapers, nightlights	....	....	19	....	14	284	....
Chaff	....	....	....	483	....	2,439	1
Cheese	....	....	11	....	8	309	362
Coal	....	....	....	....	1	3	50,106
" (bunker)	....	....	....	....	....	....	82,111
Confectionery	....	....	1	494	....	121	2,881
Cordage, rope, twine, &c.	tons	7	93	41	59	3,289	....
Drapery	....	....	1	4,919	....	815	45,127
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals..	....	205	510	20	84	5,143	7
Earthenware	....	....	2	1,437	....	47	1,017
Eggs (in shell)	....	....	....	....	46	673	....
Fish, fresh or frozen	....	....	25	....	12	360	....
Oysters, fresh or other	....	....	....	....	....	285	....
Flour	....	....	....	48	....	394	....
Fruit, fresh	....	cases	18,055	....	27,368	7,543	22,319
Furniture	....	tons	....	592	....	286	4,947
Glass and Glassware	....	....	118	1,529	3	108	1,279
Grain—Maize	....	....	15	....	838	....	6,233
Oats	....	....	1	....	1,082	....	8,281
Hardware	....	....	3,542	2,169	193	274	11,958
Hay	....	....	....	....	24	....	120
Hides and Skins...	....	....	11	80	5	806	42,542
Iron—Galvanized	....	....	3,615	....	95	....	1,601
Pig	....	....	926	....	6	....	41
Jams and Jellies	....	....	....	6	....	466	10,462
Leatherware	....	....	....	182	....	74	9,794
Machinery and Machines	....	1,011	2,115	166	461	19,193	13
Matches and Match-making Materials..	....	....	275	....	146	4,887	....
Milk and Cream, preserved	....	....	....	9	....	328	12,250
Molasses and Syrup	....	tons	....	....	76	2	575
Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes	No.	....	....	45,613	....	516	120
Onions	....	....	....	....	113	....	767
Oilmen's Stores	....	....	63	667	7	109	3,959
Potatoes	....	....	....	1	136	....	738
Saddlery	....	....	6	20	....	3	251
Soap	....	....	....	55	....	85	1,834
Specie	....	....	cwt.	1	....	....	....
Spirits—Brandy	....	....	tons	612	....	79	5,945
Gin	....	....	....	255	....	5	376
Rum	....	....	....	95	....	79	6,320
Whisky	....	....	....	542	....	39	3,672
Sugar	....	....	....	995	....	....	94,579
Tea	....	....	....	838	....	115	3,258
Timber—Sawn*	....	sup. ft.	9,580,418	....	458,861	....	4,955
Rough*	....	....	3,488,098	....	376,085	....	3,677
Tobacco, Cigars, &c.	....	tons	1	1,357	....	75	5,336
Vegetables, fresh	....	....	....	....	16	....	166
Waters, Cordials, &c.	....	....	....	106	....	133	28
Wines	....	....	....	69	....	216	3,096
Woodenware	....	....	2	402	....	98	5,010
Wool—Bales and Butts...	No.	35	....	2,119	....	27,332	8,260
Bags	....	....	....	....	1	1,605	353
Woollens...	....	....	....	123	....	21	....
All other Articles	....	....	30,495	26,318	6,335	4,765	173,077
Total	....	....	....	49,521	....	11,000	688,607
							6,190

\* Subject to adjustment.

† The total oversea imports were valued at £2,213,395.

## No. 16.—Shipping—all Ports.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department.)

Year.	Entered.		Cleared.		Tonnage Entered.		Tonnage Cleared.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steam.	Sailing.	Steam.	Sailing.
1900 ... ...	2,784	4,014,755	2,714	3,855,748	3,206,657	808,098	3,140,449	715,299
1901 ... ...	2,760	4,133,200	2,853	4,274,101	3,460,193	673,007	3,513,265	760,836
1902 ... ...	2,888	4,367,739	2,835	4,325,480	3,704,268	663,471	3,680,850	644,630
1903 ... ...	2,953	4,463,648	3,007	4,466,916	3,683,142	780,506	3,649,600	817,316
1904 ... ...	2,718	4,419,179	2,767	4,460,014	3,769,303	649,876	3,745,584	714,430
1905 ... ..	2,725	4,697,511	2,694	4,684,108	4,051,884	645,627	4,042,703	641,405
1906 ... ...	2,893	5,283,719	2,883	5,275,031	4,659,821	623,898	4,658,235	616,796
1907 ... ..	3,238	6,070,953	3,205	6,009,282	5,257,019	813,934	5,228,469	780,813
1908 ... ..	3,196	6,298,784	3,219	6,303,125	5,822,060	476,724	5,737,747	565,378
1909 ... ...	2,861	5,870,034	2,767	5,689,426	5,388,231	481,803	5,254,376	435,950
1910 ... ...	2,937	6,290,119	3,035	6,471,855	5,892,019	368,070	6,047,832	424,023
1911 ... ..	3,167	6,905,208	3,170	6,854,609	6,522,623	382,585	6,464,385	390,224
December, 1911	280	634,506	293	688,164	605,212	29,294	652,773	35,391
" 1910 ..	282	615,300	273	615,179	577,900	37,400	590,421	24,758

NOTE.—The shipping recorded in the above table is "Oversea" and "Interstate" only.

## No. 17.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels.			Net Tonnage.		
		Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.	Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.
1906 ... ..	Steam ...	2,284	6,508	8,792	4,667,078	1,524,438	6,191,516
	Sailing ...	272	1,216	1,488	270,952	156,619	427,571
1907 ... ..	Steam ..	2,456	6,589	9,045	5,105,343	1,553,200	6,658,543
	Sailing ...	318	1,011	1,329	377,080	134,516	511,596
1908 ... ..	Steam ..	2,460	6,469	8,929	5,205,883	1,526,569	6,802,452
	Sailing ...	190	904	1,094	169,339	135,783	305,122
1909 ... ..	Steam ...	2,314	5,713	8,027	5,148,293	1,483,635	6,631,928
	Sailing ...	193	724	917	171,638	97,491	269,129
1910 ... ..	Steam ...	2,292	5,700	7,992	5,398,910	1,474,145	6,873,055
	Sailing ...	173	679	852	174,789	89,464	264,253
1911 ... ..	Steam ...	2,408	6,138	8,546	5,903,713	1,626,209	7,529,922
	Sailing ...	168	502	670	159,031	80,087	239,118
December, 1911	Steam ..	228	537	765	559,301	139,960	699,261
	Sailing ...	13	44	57	14,385	7,856	22,241
" 1910 ..	Steam ...	211	500	711	499,838	131,729	631,567
	Sailing ..	20	60	80	30,303	8,641	38,944

Note.—"Oversea and Interstate" shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, which return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

## No. 18.—Trade with Principal Countries.

Country.	1885.	1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.	1909.	1910.
Imports.							
Australian States	7,595,806	10,049,648	6,758,140	10,164,080	14,938,885	17,146,943	12,623,428*
Overseas—							
United Kingdom	11,985,597	8,628,007	6,420,107	9,923,117	8,602,288	12,333,869	14,385,633
Canada ..	...	18,784	61,742	114,321	73,413	330,651	356,593
Fiji ..	192,540	99,853	27,890	60,831	43,232	345,832	161,894
Hong Kong ..	340,187	271,730	181,529	67,928	89,351	114,356	95,450
India and Ceylon ..	134,909	239,070	306,932	601,741	717,941	990,938	1,135,359
New Zealand ..	899,623	932,073	563,528	1,348,605	1,369,001	1,213,082	1,180,011
Cape Colony ..	29	55	34	1,013	5,254	58,810	12,950
Straits Settlements ..	40,913	27,148	14,074	40,391	82,830	86,970	132,245
Other British ..	109,850	6,685	18,820	118,929	67,167	180,999	165,856
Belgium ..	195,318	130,819	150,288	147,661	222,904	463,582	555,298
China ..	303,595	241,840	133,870	190,451	28,631	11,906	38,720
France ..	345,231	117,871	76,663	270,084	138,028	142,768	166,986
Germany ..	372,557	639,175	425,697	1,105,664	864,289	1,120,180	1,288,574
Italy ..	1,311	23,961	39,563	92,732	73,757	117,436	129,246
Japan ..	1,242	22,040	28,179	122,041	145,257	270,984	335,320
New Caledonia ..	82,181	83,920	28,345	28,509	18,399	33,231	39,242
Philippine Islands ..	71	4,414	15,211	49,241	27,854	29,096	37,492
South Sea Islands ..	36,929	40,214	54,436	107,488	103,142	132,542	164,530
United States ..	1,008,572	859,102	624,268	2,557,961	1,636,069	2,014,962	2,150,953
Other Foreign ..	90,095	178,295	63,099	448,279	176,189	895,522	706,641
Total, Oversea	16,141,655	12,565,356	9,234,275	17,396,991	14,485,123	20,8,8.017	23,238,993
Total, Imports	23,737,461	22,615,004	15,992,415	27,561,071	29,424,008	38,034,962	.....
Exports.							
Australian States	6,567,084	10,990,593	7,104,812	9,979,190	12,263,472	5,792,608	10,307,115†
Overseas—							
United Kingdom	7,293,133	6,623,431	9,371,418	8,273,272	10,222,422	10,384,438	13,318,099
Canada ..	...	10	16,804	66,403	41,520	67,495	76,866
Fiji ..	128,643	98,951	86,420	183,579	245,152	325,523	410,926
Hong Kong ..	246,032	255,050	141,976	218,946	424,460	377,441	414,042
India and Ceylon ..	130,597	257,360	56,462	174,296	1,330,189	355,191	187,128
New Zealand ..	3,9055	294,138	486,173	826,662	934,661	1,087,400	1,3,9,358
Cape Colony ..	.....	1,014	3,206	755,487	371,727	133,421	135,003
Straits Settlements ..	29,190	34,347	24,507	39,898	95,995	215,414	246,513
Other British ..	30,318	27,469	31,268	49,586	89,969	203,096	290,551
Belgium ..	399,549	1,011,846	780,826	620,349	1,787,163	2,113,515	2,9,0,187
China ..	21,114	1,037	7,943	68,004	318,159	54,672	64,192
France ..	142,104	233,924	1,430,122	1,024,300	3,570,246	3,214,817	4,232,137
Germany ..	29,511	404,280	1,141,601	844,504	2,771,396	4,150,803	4,934,474
Italy ..	1,769	24,498	63,509	61,132	176,770	105,353	234,419
Japan ..	2,758	7,156	54,242	133,959	377,451	833,992	524,598
New Caledonia ..	153,094	193,396	71,344	179,761	135,446	97,081	115,458
Philippine Islands ..	.....	10,410	18,603	88,043	183,853	240,579	220,134
South Sea Islands ..	68,854	45,290	68,713	126,834	141,381	191,289	214,651
United States ..	985,531	1,300,375	683,606	3,981,242	602,145	1,063,677	863,326
Other Foreign...	151,771	225,362	285,110	468,999	698,429	829,592	1,254,389
Total, Oversea	10,183,023	11,055,344	14,829,973	18,185,326	24,512,534	26,044,789	32,035,451
Total, Exports	16,750,107	22,045,937	21,934,785	28,164,516	36,782,006	41,837,397	.....

\* Imports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive.

† Exports, 1st January to 12th September inclusive.

No. 19.—State Revenue, December, and six months, July to December.  
(Advances recovered are not included.)

Source of Revenue.	December.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to December.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1910.	1911.		1910-11.	1911-12.	
<b>Governmental—</b>						
Commonwealth Returns .....	£ 775,000	£ 167,460	£ (-) 607,540	£ 1,773,890	£ 1,004,760	£ (-) 769,130
Taxation (by State) ...	53,990	90,318	36,328	419,291	578,282	158,991
Public Lands ...	184,480	138,997	(-) 45,483	903,597	821,361	(-) 82,236
All other sources ...	80,495	78,042	(-) 2,453	373,386	424,301	50,915
Gross Total ...	£ 1,093,965	£ 474,817	£ (-) 519,148	£ 3,470,164	£ 2,828,704	£ (-) 641,460
Refunds ...	9,080	4,911	(-) 4,169	43,270	48,384	5,114
Net Total ...	£ 1,084,885	£ 459,906	£ (-) 614,979	£ 3,426,894	£ 2,780,320	£ (-) 646,574
<b>Business Undertakings by State—</b>						
Railways and Tramways ...	732,780	754,642	21,862	3,788,173	4,018,715	230,542
Other ...	66,242	63,654	(-) 2,588	474,090	501,006	26,916
Gross Total ...	£ 799,022	£ 818,296	£ 19,274	£ 4,262,263	£ 4,519,721	£ 257,458
Refunds ...	7,559	8,607	1,048	31,248	32,868	1,620
Net Total ...	£ 791,463	£ 809,689	£ 18,226	£ 4,231,015	£ 4,486,853	£ 255,838
Gross Revenue and Receipts proper	£ 1,892,987	£ 1,293,113	£ (-) 599,874	£ 7,732,427	£ 7,348,425	£ (-) 384,002
Net Revenue and Receipts proper	£ 1,876,348	£ 1,279,595	£ (-) 596,753	£ 7,657,909	£ 7,267,173	£ (-) 390,736

No. 20.—State Expenditure, December, and six months, July to December.  
(Transfers and Advances are not included.)

Distribution of Expenditure.	December.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to December.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1910.	1911.		1910-11.	1911-12.	
<b>£ £ £ £ £ £ £</b>						
Governmental ...	£ 410,283	£ 437,373	£ 27,090	£ 2,508,798	£ 2,601,077	£ 92,279
Business Undertakings ...	£ 450,936	£ 620,782	£ 169,846	£ 2,535,718	£ 2,839,689	£ 303,971
Interest ...	768	15,006	14,234	£ 1,656,543	£ 1,733,919	£ 77,376
Sinking Fund and Redemptions ...	87,500	87,500	.....	£ 225,000	£ 225,000	.....
Total Expenditure...	£ 949,487	£ 1,160,661	£ 211,174	£ 6,926,059	£ 7,399,685	£ 473,626

No. 21.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Account, six months, July to December.

Particulars.	1910-11.		1911-12.	
	£ Cr.	£ Cr.	£ Cr.	£ Cr.
Balance on 1st July ...	£ 989,707	.....	£ 401,505	.....
Revenue proper—Governmental ...	3,426,894*	.....	2,780,320*	.....
Business Undertakings ...	4,231,015*	.....	4,486,853*	.....
Other Receipts ...	£ 1,152,041	.....	787,905	.....
Total Receipts ...	£ 8,809,950	.....	£ 8,055,078	.....
Expenditure proper—Governmental ...	2,508,798†	.....	2,601,077†	.....
Business Undertakings ...	2,535,718†	.....	2,839,689†	.....
Interest ...	£ 1,656,543	.....	£ 1,733,919	.....
Sinking Fund Contributions ...	.....	.....	£ 225,000	.....
Sydney Harbour Trust Sinking Fund	.....	.....	.....	.....
Transfer to Closer Settlement Account ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Transfer to Public Works Account ...	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other Payments ...	£ 1,079,671	.....	£ 755,193	.....
Total Payments ...	£ 8,055,078	.....	£ 8,154,878	.....
Balance on 31st December ...	£ Cr. 1,793,927	.....	Cr. 301,705	.....

\* As per Table No. 19,     † As per Table No. 20.

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## No. 22.—State Revenue—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1911-12.			1910-11.			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
	Govern- mental.	Business Under- takings.	Total.	Govern- mental.	Business Under- takings.	Total.	
July ...	£ 493,791	£ 555,453	£ 1,049,244	£ 287,461	£ 500,750	£ 788,211	(+) 261,033
August ...	478,049	657,727	1,135,776	714,735	625,743	1,340,478	(-) 204,702
September ...	403,903	769,386	1,173,289	338,152	749,105	1,087,257	(+) 86,032
October ...	409,447	886,050	1,295,497	473,625	813,174	1,286,799	(+) 8,698
November ...	525,224	808,548	1,333,772	528,036	750,780	1,278,816	(+) 54,956
December ...	469,906	809,689	1,279,595	1,084,885	791,463	1,870,348	(-) 596,753
Total (6 months) ...	£ 2,780,320	4,486,853	7,267,173	£ 3,426,894	4,231,015	7,657,909	(-) 390,736

## No. 23.—State Expenditure—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1911-12.			1910-11.			Increase (+) Decrease (-)
	Govern- mental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under- takings.	Total.	Govern- mental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under- takings.	Total.	
July ...	£ 727,705	£ 531,277	£ 1,258,982	£ 698,498	£ 446,146	£ 1,144,644	(+) 114,338
August ...	601,040	402,433	1,003,473	598,425	396,131	994,556	(+) 8,917
September ...	1,254,422	437,628	1,692,050	1,240,918	404,177	1,645,095	(+) 46,955
October ...	1,007,872	496,201	1,504,073	962,802	401,424	1,364,226	(+) 139,847
November ...	429,078	351,368	780,446	391,147	436,904	828,051	(-) 47,605
December ...	539,879	620,782	1,160,661	498,551	450,936	949,487	(+) 211,174
Total (6 months) ...	£ 4,559,996	2,839,689	7,399,685	£ 4,390,341	2,535,718	6,926,059	(+) 473,626

## No. 24.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans.

Year ended 30th June.	Public Debt at end of Year.	Expenditure from Loans during Year.				
		Reproductive Works.			Other Works and Services.	Total.
		Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply (including Water Conservation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Resumptions).		
1901 ...	£ 67,361,246	£ 1,085,747	£ 532,691	£ 505,199	£ 661,392	£ 2,785,029
1902 ...	71,592,485	2,243,672	486,205	1,668,387	510,977	4,939,241
1903 ...	77,692,937	1,683,755	554,581	2,017,346	457,704	4,713,386
1904 ...	80,033,581	805,520	315,305	879,213	288,704	2,388,742
1905 ...	82,321,998	501,710	242,771	465,712	361,064	1,571,257
1906 ...	85,641,734	529,251	365,442	256,780	215,549	1,367,022
1907 ...	85,607,832	421,742	325,908	172,361	174,227	1,094,238
1908 ...	87,635,826	1,363,314	370,819	138,561	92,635	1,965,329
1909 ...	90,307,419	2,127,633	617,589	114,095	47,190	2,906,507
1910 ...	92,525,095	2,471,284	578,111	158,732	38,513	3,246,640
1911 ...	95,523,926	2,547,672	730,819	234,213	409,054	3,921,758

NOTE.—Redemptions of loans are not included in the Expenditure, nor are repayments to credit of votes.

## No. 25.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1905–11.

	1905–6.	1906–7.	1907–8.	1908–9.	1909–10.	1910–11.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Balance brought forward ...	Dr. 336,890	Cr. 896,124	Cr. 1,471,344	Cr. 1,676,924	Cr. 637,678	Cr. 989,707
Net Revenue Proper .....	12,283,082	13,392,435	13,960,763	13,625,071	14,540,073	13,839,139
Advances Repaid .....	8,285	14,108	35,102	62,204	42,342	43,346
Proceeds of Treasury Bills .....	336,890	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
(A) Total Receipts for year	12,628,257	13,406,543	13,995,865	13,687,275	14,582,415	13,882,485
Net Expenditure Proper .....	11,386,864	11,881,746	12,095,593	12,882,607	13,042,445	13,807,538
Advances (Treasurer's Advance Account and State Children's Relief) .....	8,379	31,526	90,213	34,353	41,764	26,996
Public Works Fund—Statutory payment of $\frac{1}{3}$ of Proceeds of Sale of Crown lands, less 20 per cent. ....	.....	*368,051	+754,479	359,561	336,177	386,153
(B) Total Disbursements for year ...	11,395,243	12,281,323	12,940,285	13,276,521	13,420,386	14,220,687
Surplus on Transactions of year—(A)–(B) ...	1,233,014	1,125,220	1,055,580	410,754	1,162,029	(–)338,202
Payments from Surplus— Public Works Fund ...	.....	350,000	650,000	450,000	575,000	250,000
Closer Settlement Fund	.....	200,000	200,000	1,000 000	235,000	.....
Total ...	.....	550,000	850,000	1,450,000	810,000	250,000

\* Amount due for 1905–6.

† £408,409 due for 1906–7, and £316,070 for 1907–8.

(–) Denotes deficiency.

## No. 26.—Commonwealth Revenue collected in State.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation.			Posts and Telegraphs.	Other Revenue.	Total
	Customs.	Excise.	Total.			
*1901 ... ...	820,012	198,996	1,019,008	276,936	1,019	1,296,963
1902 ... ...	2,323,999	488,732	2,812,731	873,312	8,223	3,694,266
1903 ... ...	2,861,710	617,032	3,478,742	906,798	5,479	4,391,019
1904 ... ...	2,604,048	625,738	3,229,786	941,529	5,075	4,176,390
1905 ... ...	2,390,735	642,882	3,033,617	980,151	7,542	4,021,310
1906 ... ...	2,563,552	670,370	3,233,922	1,065,633	15,275	4,314,830
1907 ... ...	2,845,786	727,527	3,573,313	1,191,489	17,320	4,782,122
1908 ... ...	3,672,146	842,590	4,514,736	1,277,439	23,655	5,815,830
1909 ... ...	3,465,922	797,756	4,263,678	1,319,698	38,329	5,621,705
1910 ... ...	3,789,467	706,935	4,495,502	1,437,437	83,721	6,016,060

\* Half-year ended 30th June.

## No. 27.—Commonwealth Expenditure in State.

Year ended 30th June.	New Expenditure.	Customs and Excise.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Naval and Military.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
*1901 ... ...	47,605	29,006	262,036	70,744	...	409,391
1902 ... ...	99,252	63,450	840,685	309,146	...	1,312,533
1903 ... ...	114,131	70,438	890,203	268,146	10	1,342,928
1904 ... ...	167,043	69,188	950,108	298,756	...	1,485,095
1905 ... ...	169,085	69,451	942,905	311,230	...	1,492,671
1906 ... ...	187,340	73,431	984,371	327,734	25	1,572,901
1907 ... ...	283,184	74,810	1,049,120	349,493	378	1,756,985
1908 ... ...	1463,102	84,186	1,188,300	447,256	15,620	2,198,464
1909 ... ...	§ 570,009	87,988	1,290,071	344,298	1,716	2,294,082
1910 ... ...	722,067	84,071	1,375,937	512,320	8,963	2,703,358

\* Half-year ended 30th June.

† Includes £210,796 on account of Old-age Pensions and Defence paid to Trust Fund.

§ Includes £159,500 on account of Old-age Pensions paid to Trust Fund.

No. 28.—Net Revenue and Receipts of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1903-4 to 1910-11.

	1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
<b>Governmental :—</b>								
<b>Taxation—</b>								
Commonwealth—Balance of Revenue collected and returned to State ...	£ 2,683,417	£ 2,529,070	£ 2,742,770	£ 3,022,351	£ 3,591,371	£ 3,356,158	£ 3,347,616	£ 1,942,245
State ...	1,100,193	1,114,408	1,297,776	1,381,305	1,077,534	907,249	1,223,521	1,027,519
<b>Land—</b>								
Alienations ...	£ 3,783,610	£ 3,643,478	£ 4,040,546	£ 4,403,656	£ 4,668,905	£ 4,263,407	£ 4,571,137	£ 2,969,764
Revenue ...	1,116,061	1,026,594	1,066,741	1,128,768	995,069	998,532	850,363	944,030
	744,509	734,433	666,333	755,288	789,325	779,470	869,563	892,366
Receipts for Services rendered ...								
	£ 1,860,570	£ 1,761,027	£ 1,733,074	£ 1,884,056	£ 1,784,394	£ 1,778,002	£ 1,719,926	£ 1,836,396
Miscellaneous Receipts ...								
	£ 330,930	£ 320,051	£ 370,762	£ 328,501	£ 305,674	£ 310,882	£ 315,443	£ 334,928
Total Governmental ...								
	£ 6,305,198	£ 6,047,970	£ 6,428,487	£ 6,958,959	£ 7,107,448	£ 6,626,891	£ 6,972,808	£ 5,460,691
<b>Business Undertakings by the State :—</b>								
Railway Commissioners ...	£ 4,263,744	£ 4,527,368	£ 5,051,953	£ 5,596,428	£ 5,978,060	£ 6,132,918	£ 6,664,236	£ 7,112,127
Sydney Harbour Trust ...	261,659	253,581	270,689	298,937	327,579	334,694	337,454	374,280
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage ...	385,793	473,562	492,196	496,794	504,092	486,393	512,615	537,355
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board ...	31,934	34,437	39,757	42,217	43,584	44,175	52,960	54,686
Total Business Undertakings ...	£ 4,943,130	£ 5,288,948	£ 5,854,595	£ 6,433,476	£ 6,853,315	£ 6,998,180	£ 7,567,265	£ 8,378,448
Total ...	£ 11,248,328	£ 11,336,918	£ 12,283,082	£ 13,392,435	£ 13,960,763	£ 13,625,071	£ 14,540,073	£ 13,839,139
Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, &c.) ...	103,867	47,753	8,285	14,108	35,102	*62,204	42,343	43,346
Grand Total ...	£ 11,352,195	£ 11,384,671	£ 12,291,367	£ 13,406,543	£ 13,995,865	£ 13,687,275	£ 14,582,416	£ 13,882,485

\* Inclusive of £10,000 repaid by Commonwealth on account of Money Order business.

No. 29.—Net Expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1903-4 to 1910-11.

		1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
<b>Governmental :—</b>									
Interest on Public Debt and on Funds in temporary possession of Government*	..	831,527	883,236	933,398	907,026	730,043	755,058	807,929	801,754
Old-age and Invalidity Pensions and Administration	..	531,983	518,656	510,343	515,177	538,131	627,213	140,228	149,570
Other Pensions, Retiring Allowances, &c.	..	131,096	170,909	170,685	167,947	205,599	189,442	191,896	161,702
Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, including Electoral Office	..	22,586	42,048	10,464	20,426	40,966	4,648	16,183	35,504
Parliamentary Allowances and Postage	..	34,746	23,210	29,129	29,503	26,295	31,236	31,337	30,101
Local Government—									
Endowments, &c., to Municipalities	..	45,480	21,172	18,084	65,805	17,242	7,637	7,763	8,871
Shires	..	.....	.....	.....	114,494	169,865	198,136	274,052	286,842
Administration, &c.	..	.....	.....	1,286	12,090	9,980	3,715	**1,125	**.....
Agricultural, Pastoral, and Horticultural Societies	..	11,410	14,363	8,936	17,390	19,627	18,096	19,611	21,889
Hospitals and Charities§	..	301,274	312,226	358,295	328,885	330,114	343,961	353,331	328,905
Lunacy, including Master-in-Lunacy	..	138,847	128,062	135,367	135,728	144,523	156,559	164,990	177,486
Public Instruction, including Reformatories and Grants to Educational and Scientific Institutions	..	913,197	916,071	938,640	946,044	1,038,620	1,088,328	1,145,038	1,207,034
All other Services of the State under the Departments of Chief Secretary, Treasury, Attorney-General and Justice, Lands, Works, Mines and Agriculture	..	2,722,145	2,546,101	2,585,745	2,542,190	2,350,569	2,473,405	2,509,098	2,638,731
Total Governmental	..	£ 5,684,291	£ 5,576,054	£ 5,703,372	£ 5,802,705	£ 5,621,574	£ 5,897,434	£ 5,662,581	£ 5,748,389
<b>Business Undertakings by the State :—</b>									
By Railway Commissioners, Sydney Harbour Trust, Metropolitan and Hunter District Boards of Water Supply and Sewerage—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Working Expenses	..	3,132,636	3,131,826	3,184,816	3,444,244	3,749,358	4,145,383	4,580,432	5,137,276
Interest on Capitals	..	£ 2,133,548	2,167,782	2,136,660	2,229,707	2,318,516	2,360,999	2,374,103	2,512,524
Total Business Undertakings	..	£ 5,266,184	£ 5,299,608	£ 5,321,476	£ 5,673,951	£ 6,067,874	£ 6,506,382	£ 6,954,535	£ 7,649,800
Sinking Fund Instalments	..	369,413	319,413	360,016	405,090	406,145	478,791	421,034	409,349
Total Expenditure	..	£ 11,319,888	£ 11,195,075	£ 11,386,864	£ 11,881,746	£ 12,095,593	£ 12,882,607	£ 13,038,150	£ 13,807,538
Public Works Fund—Transfers in aid	..	..	..	..	7,8,051	1,404,479	809,561	911,177	636,153
Closer Settlement Fund—Transfers in aid	..	..	..	..	200,000	200,000	1,000,000	235,000	.....
Total Expenditure and Transfers	..	£ 11,319,888	£ 11,195,075	£ 11,386,864	£ 12,799,797	£ 13,700,072	£ 14,692,168	£ 14,184,327	£ 14,443,691
Advances made	..	72,015	2,423	8,378	31,526	90,213	34,353	46,059	26,996
Grand Total	..	£ 11,391,903	£ 11,197,498	£ 11,395,242	£ 12,831,323	£ 13,790,285	£ 14,726,521	£ 14,230,386	£ 14,470,687

\* Excludes proportion chargeable to the four corporate bodies. † Includes pensions under Public Service (Superannuation) Act, No. 8 of 1903, 4 per cent. deductions from salaries, being paid to Revenue. ‡ For 1903-4, the interest on capitals is approximate only, as the capital debt of the four corporate bodies was not definitely settled. § Includes expenditure on account of Bubonic Plague. ¶ Old-age Pensions transferred to Commonwealth. || Electoral Office included in Chief Secretary's Department. \*\* Excluding salaries, which are incorporated with Public Works Establishment. †† Exclusive of stores, and water supplied to hospitals, &c.

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## No. 30.—Banks—Liabilities.

(Thirteen Banks.\*)

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended 31st December.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
1900 ... .. 1,447,641	209,905	12,224,510	20,009,081	32,233,591	78,594	33,969,731	
1901 ... .. 1,499,937	218,943	12,841,599	20,416,857	33,258,456	100,496	35,077,832	
1902 ... .. 1,454,415	208,521	12,587,097	20,472,785	33,059,882	207,610	34,930,428	
1903 ... .. 1,378,642	228,059	12,591,637	19,986,224	32,577,861	65,979	34,250,541	
1904 ... .. 1,345,934	196,995	12,642,715	20,638,560	33,281,275	77,028	34,901,232	
1905 ... .. 1,430,335	218,555	14,859,427	22,211,627	37,071,054	140,118	38,860,062	
1906 ... .. 1,564,670	313,946	16,834,690	22,585,802	39,420,492	117,629	41,416,737	
1907 ... .. 1,756,696	263,018	18,729,709	24,034,857	42,764,566	153,186	44,937,466	
1908 ... .. 1,759,020	294,998	17,951,589	25,958,298	43,909,887	176,122	46,140,027	
1909 ... .. 1,758,913	315,916	20,198,450	25,926,547	46,124,997	131,067	48,330,893	
1910 ... .. 2,243,128	370,190	24,068,552	27,824,972	51,893,524	160,237	54,667,088	
31 March, 1911 ... 1,862,651	432,776	25,602,555	28,324,471	53,927,026	137,907	56,360,360	
30 June, 1911 ... 1,819,180	402,760	25,985,355	29,341,683	55,327,038	206,181	57,755,159	
30 Sept., 1911 ... 806,333	402,674	25,968,059	29,678,096	55,646,155	293,840	57,149,002	
30 , , 1910 ... 1,886,540	346,763	22,676,977	26,874,221	49,551,198	148,270	51,932,771	

## No. 31.—Banks—Assets.

(Thirteen Banks.\*)

Quarter ended 31st December.	Coin.	Bullion.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Australian Notes.	Total Assets.
1900 ... 5,933,076	193,050	1,874,099	34,385,388	246,998	403,816	.....	43,036,427	
1901 ... 5,814,180	171,545	1,744,664	35,068,787	259,202	379,181	.....	43,437,559	
1902 ... 6,329,551	223,172	1,789,902	34,654,744	287,025	346,097	.....	43,630,491	
1903 ... 5,824,539	226,307	1,804,956	34,686,452	304,418	318,904	.....	43,165,576	
1904 ... 6,175,911	276,446	1,808,266	32,798,708	283,002	264,615	.....	41,606,948	
1905 ... 8,624,083	199,177	1,799,231	32,447,659	326,750	297,237	.....	43,694,137	
1906 ... 7,247,347	260,016	1,819,417	34,415,596	335,979	379,602	.....	44,457,957	
1907 ... 9,342,631	209,454	1,746,940	37,244,216	359,038	443,636	.....	49,345,915	
1908 ... 9,350,942	249,924	1,793,518	39,213,472	388,925	431,377	.....	51,428,158	
1909 ... 10,521,262	196,489	1,814,351	38,485,738	374,522	522,132	.....	51,914,494	
1910 ... 13,527,019	197,266	1,822,997	40,854,69	906,857	675,702	291,747	58,276,278	
31 Mar., 1911 ... 14,237,418	217,568	1,865,914	41,174,780	673,637	649,881	1,270,239	60,089,437	
30 June, 1911 ... 14,327,999	196,961	1,871,811	42,456,515	664,320	618,467	1,770,751	61,906,824	
30 Sept., 1911 ... 14,281,505	183,569	1,883,724	44,878,017	355,110	489,172	2,305,408	64,376,565	
30 , , 1910 ... 13,276,030	232,566	1,830,040	39,201,989	532,675	534,984	.....	55,608,284	

\* From June, 1907, the returns of fourteen banks are shown, the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris being included. From June, 1910, fifteen banks are included, as the Royal Bank of Australia (Ltd.), commenced operations in April, 1910. From September, 1910, sixteen banks are included, as the Colonial Bank of Australasia opened a branch in Sydney on 15th September, 1910.

## No. 32.—Banks' Exchange Settlements, Sydney.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
1900 ... ... ... ...	144,080,314	1906 ... ... ...	220,860,512
1901 ... ... ... ...	167,676,707	1907 ... ... ...	234,169,822
1902 ... ... ... ...	178,637,708	1908 ... ... ...	227,736,243
1903 ... ... ... ...	180,961,406	1909 ... ... ...	240,645,737
1904 ... ... ... ...	177,797,335	1910 ... ... ...	274,343,666
1905 ... ... ... ...	189,826,381	1911 ... ... ...	304,488,435

## No. 33.—Savings Banks.

Year. (31st December.)	Number of Depositors.	Value of Deposits.	Increase in Deposits during Year.	Amount Deposited.		
				Per Depositor.	Per Inhabitant.	
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1900	... ...	282,643	10,901,382	831,948	38 11 5	7 19 9
1901	... ...	306,311	11,808,710	907,328	38 11 0	8 11 5
1902	... ...	323,212	12,425,464	616,754	38 8 10	8 17 1
1903	... ...	331,956	12,344,623	(—) 80,841	37 3 9	8 13 3
1904	... ...	339,602	12,743,735	399,112	37 10 6	8 15 6
1905	... ...	355,714	13,498,252	754,517	37 18 11	9 1 11
1906	... ...	392,050	15,320,532	1,822,280	39 1 7	10 3 0
1907	... ...	421,928	17,530,157	2,209,625	41 10 11	11 5 9
1908	... ...	436,029	18,805,280	1,275,123	43 2 7	11 19 2
1909	... ...	460,251	20,150,575	1,345,293	43 15 7	12 10 9
1910	... ...	498,658	22,453,923	2,303,349	45 0 7	13 13 10
30 June, 1911...	522,251	23,381,014	927,091*	44 15 5	14 1 9	
" 1910...	478,006	20,823,764	673,189*	43 11 3	12 16 5	

\* Half-year ended 30th June.

(—) Denotes decrease.

## No. 34.—State Railways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Train miles run.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1901	... ...	2,846	38,932,781	1,530,578	10,763,697	2 10 4
1902	... ...	3,026	40,505,073	1,401,317	11,649,059	2 4 2
1903	... ...	3,139	41,654,977	1,048,594	11,548,338	1 9 4
1904	... ...	3,281	42,288,517	1,177,473	10,400,503	2 3 4
1905	... ...	3,281	43,062,550	1,491,869	10,467,886	2 10 4
1906	... ...	3,390	43,626,063	1,926,407	11,863,682	3 3
1907	... ...	3,453	44,700,230	2,209,665	12,949,068	3 5
1908	... ...	3,473	45,683,484	2,229,295	14,251,052	3 1 2
1909	... ...	3,623	47,612,666	2,075,626	15,074,144	2 9
1910	... ...	3,643	48,925,348	2,209,306	15,468,026	2 10 4
1911	... ...	3,761	50,971,894	2,351,144	17,006,697	2 9 4
* Sept., 1911	...	3,793	50,971,894	569,927	4,385,562	2 7 4
" 1910	...	3,666	48,925,348	544,029	4,093,116	2 8 2

\* Quarter ended 30th September.

## No. 35.—State Tramways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Tramway miles run.	Net earnings per tram mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1901	... ...	79	2,194,493	89,203	6,835,926	0 3
1902	... ...	104	2,829,363	89,773	9,344,154	0 2 1
1903	... ...	124	3,371,587	97,869	13,695,630	0 1 4
1904	... ...	126	3,471,759	129,360	16,387,019	0 2
1905	... ...	126	3,637,922	127,887	16,413,762	0 2
1906	... ...	126	3,669,096	186,400	16,309,907	0 2 3
1907	... ...	129	3,669,524	180,754	16,620,434	0 2 1
1908	... ...	133	3,732,991	202,929	17,521,410	0 2 3
1909	... ...	151	4,252,731	222,005	18,853,621	0 2 4
1910	... ...	166	4,668,797	201,981	20,579,386	0 2 4
1911	... ...	190	5,121,586	221,682	22,541,429	0 2 4
* Sept., 1911	...	190	5,121,586	57,474	5,930,047	0 2 1
" 1910	...	175	4,668,797	47,252	5,436,182	0 2

\* Quarter ended 30th September.

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## No. 36.—Area under Crop.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat. acres.	Maize. acres.	Oats. acres.	Sugar-cane (area cut). acres.	Hay. acres.	Vines. Wine-making. acres.	Potatoes. acres.	All Crops. acres.
1901	1,530,609	206,051	29,383	10,472	466,236	4,534	29,408	2,445,564
1902	1,392,070	167,333	32,245	8,790	442,163	4,889	26,158	2,276,528
1903	1,279,760	202,437	42,992	8,692	491,918	5,041	19,444	2,245,839
1904	1,561,111	226,834	51,621	10,368	496,017	5,101	20,851	2,542,919
1905	1,775,955	193,614	40,471	9,772	435,704	5,298	23,855	2,672,973
1906	1,939,447	189,353	38,543	10,313	438,036	5,279	26,374	2,838,081
1907	1,866,253	174,115	56,431	10,378	458,172	4,951	36,815	2,824,211
1908	1,390,171	160,980	75,762	9,916	542,761	4,644	31,917	2,570,137
1909	1,394,056	180,812	59,881	6,951	715,837	4,472	26,301	2,713,971
1910	1,990,180	212,797	81,452	6,480	630,664	4,501	35,725	3,174,864
1911	2,128,826	213,217	77,991	5,596	638,577	4,354	44,452	3,381,921

\* The figures in this column are exclusive of areas double-cropped.

## No. 37.—Production of Crops.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat. bushels.	Maize. bushels.	Oats. bushels.	Sugar-cane. tons.	Hay. tons.	Wine. gallons.	Potatoes. tons.	Total value of Agricultural Production. £
1901	16,173,771	6,292,745	593,548	199,118	526,260	891,190	63,253	5,855,674
1902	14,808,705	3,844,993	687,179	187,711	472,621	868,479	39,146	7,060,203
1903	1,585,097	3,049,269	351,758	183,105	243,379	806,140	30,732	4,138,627
1904	27,334,141	6,836,740	1,252,156	227,511	816,810	1,086,820	56,743	8,358,924
1905	16,464,415	4,951,132	652,646	199,040	366,293	928,160	48,754	5,413,710
1906	20,737,200	5,539,750	883,081	201,998	459,182	831,700	50,386	6,543,050
1907	21,817,938	5,763,000	1,404,554	221,560	621,846	1,140,000	114,856	7,517,550
1908	9,155,884	4,527,852	851,776	277,390	376,800	778,500	55,882	6,587,990
1909	15,483,276	5,216,038	1,119,558	144,760	730,014	736,262	71,794	8,318,900
1910	28,532,029	7,098,255	1,966,586	131,081	981,201	808,870	100,143	10,908,320
1911	27,913,547	7,594,130	1,702,706	160,311	843,080	805,600	121,033	9,493,060

## No. 38.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Year ended 31st March.	Wheat. bushels.	Maize. bushels.	Oats. bushels.	Sugar-cane. tons.	Hay. tons.	Wine. gallons.	Potatoes. tons.	Value per acre. £ s. d.
1901	10.6	30.5	20.2	19.01	1.13	197	2.15	2 8 0
1902	10.6	22.9	21.3	21.35	1.07	178	1.50	3 2 0
1903	1.2	15.1	8.2	21.07	0.49	160	1.58	1 16 10
1904	17.5	30.1	24.3	21.94	1.05	213	2.72	3 5 9
1905	9.3	25.6	16.1	20.43	0.84	175	2.04	2 0 6
1906	10.7	29.3	22.9	19.59	1.05	157	1.91	2 6 1
1907	11.7	33.1	24.9	21.34	1.36	230	3.11	2 13 3
1908	6.6	28.1	11.2	27.97	0.69	168	1.75	2 11 3
1909	11.1	28.8	18.7	20.83	1.02	165	2.73	3 1 3
1910	14.3	33.4	24.1	20.23	1.56	177	2.80	3 8 9
Mean for 10 years	10.7	27.7	19.2	21.41	1.09	182	2.28	2 11 2
1911	13.1	35.6	21.8	28.65	1.32	185	2.72	2 16 2

## No. 39.—Live Stock.

1st December.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.*	All other.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1900 ... ...	481,417	420,148	1,562,968	40,020,506	256,577
1901 ... ...	486,716	417,835	1,629,619	41,857,099	265,730
1902 ... ...	450,125	351,287	1,389,939	26,649,424	193,097
1903 ... ...	458,014	523,438	1,357,140	28,656,501	221,592
1904 ... ...	482,663	591,936	1,557,193	34,526,894	330,666
1905 ... ...	506,884	644,164	1,093,809	39,506,764	310,702
1906 ... ...	537,762	713,049	1,836,895	44,132,421	243,370
1907 ... ...	578,326	756,916	1,994,277	44,461,839	216,145
1908 ... ...	591,045	777,149	2,178,785	43,370,797	215,822
1909 ... ...	604,784	794,549	2,233,178	46,202,578	237,849
1910 ... ...	650,636	866,030	2,274,277	45,560,969	321,632

\* Up to 1902 the figures include only the cows actually in milk at the time the returns were taken. The figures for the last five years are made up as follow :—

Year.	Milch Cows.	Dry Dairy	Heifers within	Total
		Cows.	3 months of calving.	Dairy Cows
1906 ... ..	494,820 ..	172,888 ..	45,341 ..	713,049
1907 ... ..	506,395 ..	206,828 ..	43,693 ..	756,916
1908 ... ..	527,843 ..	208,840 ..	40,466 ..	777,149
1909 ... ..	566,378 ..	189,507 ..	38,664 ..	794,549
1910 ... ..	632,786 ..	193,557 ..	39,587 ..	866,030

## No. 40.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year.	Wool (as in the grease).	Tallow.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
		lb.	ewt.	lb.	lb.
1900 ... ...	237,660,000	444,429	41,479,794	3,558,823	10,863,125
1901 ... ...	310,075,000	450,713	39,056,878	3,838,835	11,080,891
1902 ... ...	217,411,000	251,188	29,950,977	4,148,038	8,995,856
1903 ... ...	227,004,000	235,198	38,727,107	4,748,176	7,864,771
1904 ... ...	250,941,000	353,082	53,591,243	4,223,621	10,680,532
1905 ... ...	297,154,000	495,157	53,040,250	4,625,980	11,652,440
1906 ... ...	325,441,000	487,911	58,941,137	5,389,345	11,843,595
1907 ... ...	367,446,000	490,549	60,041,449	4,586,857	10,358,526
1908 ... ...	338,129,000	432,294	61,380,876	4,763,360	9,488,299
1909 ... ...	370,808,000	640,113	62,865,608	4,775,268	9,931,377
1910 ... ...	45,338,900	756,100	76,624,830	5,191,089	12,620,067

## No. 41.—Persons employed permanently in Rural Occupations.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1900 ... ...	105,925	16,299	122,224	1906 ... ...	111,625	19,817	131,442
1901 ... ...	104,503	16,423	120,926	1907 ... ...	117,522	21,341	138,803
1902 ... ...	103,796	19,113	122,909	1908 ... ...	120,106	20,809	140,915
1903 ... ...	102,212	16,409	118,621	1909 ... ...	119,836	22,317	142,153
1904 ... ...	106,472	18,279	124,751	1910 ... ...	123,769	22,573	146,342
1905 ... ...	108,638	19,492	128,130	1911 ... ...	126,543	24,632	151,175

## No. 42.—Average Prices in London of New South Wales Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat.	Flour.	Butter (Best Quality).		Wool.		Tallow.
			Top.	Bottom.	Greasy.	Scoured.	
	per qr. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.	per cwt. s.	per cwt. s.	per lb. d.	per lb. s. d.	per cwt. s. d.
December, 1910 ...	37 3	9 6 0	103	101	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	1 5	34 0
January, 1911 ...	37 0	9 2 0	106	104	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	1 4	35 0
February, " ...	37 0	9 0 0	102 $\frac{1}{2}$	98 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	1 3	35 0
March, " ...	36 3	8 19 0	101 $\frac{1}{2}$	98	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	35 0
April, " ...	36 0	8 16 0	104	100	10	1 3	32 0
May, " ...	37 0	8 18 0	98	95 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	1 3	31 0
June, " ...	36 6	8 16 0	101	99	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 3	28 0
July, " ...	36 0	8 11 0	*	*	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	1 4 $\frac{3}{4}$	31 0
August, " ...	36 9	8 16 0	119	113	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	1 4 $\frac{3}{4}$	31 0
September, " ...	37 0	9 1 0	122 $\frac{1}{2}$	119 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 5	33 0
October, " ...	37 0	9 6 0	131	133 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	1 5	33 0
November, " ...	37 0	9 0 0	127	124	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 0
December, " ...	37 3	8 19 0	129	127	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	1 4 $\frac{3}{4}$	33 0

\* No quotations.

## No. 43.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat (Milling).	Flour.	Bran.	Pollard.	Oats.	Maize.	Hay (Oaten).	
							per bushel. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.
December, 1910 ...	3 8	9 0 0	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	4 0	9
January, 1911 ...	3 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 17 6	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{8}$	2 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 7	3 18	0
February, " ...	3 5	8 8 9	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	3 9
March, " ...	3 3	8 1 9	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 6	2 6	3 17	3
April, " ...	3 5 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 5 0	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 7	2 5	4	7 0
May, " ...	3 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 9 0	13	13	2 8 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	0 0*
June, " ...	3 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 10 0	12	12	2 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	2 7	6	3 0*
July, " ...	3 3 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 7 6	12	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	2 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	2 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	12 0*
August, " ...	3 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 4 9	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 7 $\frac{1}{4}$	2 11	4	6 9*
September, " ...	3 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 12 6	12	12	2 9	3 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	5 0
October, " ...	3 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 13 9	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 9 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	4	1 9
November, " ...	3 8	8 13 9	12 $\frac{1}{4}$	13	2 9 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 11	4	4 9
December, " ...	3 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 13 9	13	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	5	4 0
	Potatoes (Local).	Butter (Best Brands).	Cheese (Loaf).	Bacon (Sides).	"Lard (Bulk).	Eggs.		New Laid.
						"Norths" and "Souths."	New Laid.	
	per ton. £ s. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per doz. s. d.	per doz. s. d.	per doz. s. d.
December, 1910 ...	8 5 0	10	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 10	1 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	
January, 1911 ...	5 11 6	9 $\frac{3}{8}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 9	1 0	
February, " ...	5 0 0	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 5 $\frac{3}{4}$	
March, " ...	5 8 9	9	5 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{8}$	6	1 2 $\frac{1}{4}$	1 8 $\frac{3}{4}$	
April, " ...	5 11 6	9	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 0	
May, " ...	4 11 3	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 0	
June, " ...	.....	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{5}{8}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	1 8 $\frac{3}{8}$	1 10 $\frac{3}{8}$	
July, " ...	6 12 0	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 3	1 4	
August, " ...	7 5 6	12	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	0 10	0 11 $\frac{1}{4}$	
September, " ...	5 15 9	11 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	0 9 $\frac{1}{8}$	0 10 $\frac{1}{4}$	
October, " ...	5 3 0	12	6 $\frac{7}{8}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	0 8 $\frac{3}{4}$	0 10	
November, " ...	4 10 0	12	7	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	6	0 8 $\frac{1}{4}$	0 11 $\frac{1}{4}$	
December, " ...	5 11 0	12	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	0 9 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 1	

\* Local supply very limited.

No. 44.—Gold produced, January to December, and Minerals exported, January to September.

Gold yield during the years 1911 and 1910.

Month.	1911.		1910.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz. fine.	£	oz. fine.	£
January to November...	162,256	689,220	178,659	758,891
December	18,865	80,133	10,198	43,320
Total for year	181,121	769,353	188,857	802,211

Exports of Minerals during the first nine months, 1911 and 1910.

Exports.	Nine months, 1911.		Nine months, 1910.		Third Quarter, 1911.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Silver Ingots and Matte	oz.	1,218,377	119,509	1,229,685	121,766	507,071
Silver-lead, Concentrates, &c....	tons	252,856	1,601,116	225,697	1,153,446	96,741
Lead, in Matte	"	11,295	134,936	15,132	176,733	4,455
Zinc Concentrates	"	396,227	1,055,723	335,301	897,467	142,338
Copper Ingots, and Ore*	"	15,103	806,934	15,133	750,985	5,516
Tin Ingots and Ore*	"	1,704	269,762	1,908	245,108	615
Coal—						
To Australasian Ports	"	1,839,721	951,473	1,837,750	927,573	683,960
" Other	"	1,752,870	956,183	1,504,907	825,378	669,011
Total Export of Coal...		3,592,591	1,907,656	3,342,657	1,752,951	1,352,971
Grand Total		.....	5,895,636	...	5,098,456	2,236,470

\* Information respecting total value of copper and tin ore imported or transferred into this State is not available

No. 45.—Quantity and Value of Minerals produced, 1909 and 1910.

Minerals.	1909.		1910.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
Metallic—						
Gold	oz. fine	204,709	869,546	188,857	802,211	67,335
Silver	"	1,718,005	168,974	1,773,913	175,775	6,801
Silver—Lead, Ore, Concentrates, &c....	ton	269,306	1,484,641	317,697	1,685,704	201,063
Lead—Pig, &c.	"	15,476	186,073	21,195	248,561	62,488
Zinc Spelter & Concentrates,		373,906	1,041,280	468,627	1,289,634	248,354
Tin Ingots and Ore	"	1,943	211,029	1,868	228,156	17,127
Copper, Matte, Ingots, and Ore	"	6,966	424,737	12,890	486,257	61,520
Antimony and Ore	"	95	711	97	1,450	739
Bismuth	"	9	1,624	6	2,004	380
Wolfram	"	127	11,249	166	16,258	5,009
Scheelite	"	193	14,618	151	15,747	1,129
Molybdenite	"	28	3,249	47	5,667	2,418
Platinum	oz.	440	1,720	332	1,418	302
Iron	ton	26,762	100,357	40,487	161,948	61,591
Iron Oxide	"	4,900	4,948	1,351	714	4,234
Ironstone Flux...	"	4,339	3,471	1,648	1,321	2,150
Non-metallic—						
Coal	ton	7,019,879	2,618,596	8,173,508	3,009,657	391,061
Coke	"	204,274	137,194	282,337	189,069	51,875
Kerosene Shale	"	48,718	23,617	68,293	33,896	10,279
Alunite	"	3,500	8,791	1,136	2,840	5,951
Limestone Flux	"	45,078	13,851	56,938	16,946	3,095
Marble	"	.....	1,700	.....	2,134	434
Diamonds	carat	5,474	3,959	3,606	2,881	1,078
Opal	"	.....	61,800	.....	66,200	4,400
Sundry Minerals	"	.....	5,475	.....	8,722	3,247
Total	...	£ .....	7,403,210	.....	8,455,170	1,133,010
						Net increase £1,051,960

NOTE.—The above table does not include iron made from scrap valued at £6,000 in 1909, nor lime and Portland cement valued at £226,483 and £281,299, respectively, in 1909 and 1910. These items are accounted for in the manufacturing returns.

## No. 46.—Value of Minerals Produced, and Total Miners Employed.

Year.	Gold.	Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Total Minerals Produced.	Total Miners Employed.
1900	£1,070,920	2,604,117	425,301	142,724	1,668,911	6,362,078	43,745
1901	737,164	1,854,463	412,292	76,544	2,178,929	5,680,739	36,615
1902	684,970	1,440,179	307,806	59,593	2,206,598	5,102,321	33,695
1903	1,080,029	1,501,403	462,640	150,208	2,319,660	5,957,512	37,559
1904	1,146,109	2,065,540	406,001	188,377	1,994,952	6,243,261	37,837
1905	1,165,013	2,494,052	527,403	226,110	2,003,461	6,897,081	38,932
1906	1,078,866	2,862,973	789,527	255,744	2,337,227	7,912,716	42,546
1907	1,050,730	3,915,946	727,774	293,305	2,922,419	10,295,290	43,758
1908	954,854	2,160,195	502,812	205,447	3,353,093	8,384,149	38,965
1909	869,546	1,653,615	424,737	211,029	2,618,596	7,403,210	36,405
1910	802,211	1,861,479	486,257	228,156	3,009,657	8,455,170	37,413

## No. 47.—Price Levels.

The index numbers are calculated on the f.o.b. prices, Sydney, based on London prices of principal articles of domestic produce exported. The average prices of 1901 are adopted as basis, and called 1,000.

Period.	General Index— all articles.	Index of Pastoral Products—Wool, Tallow, Hides, Leather, &c.	Index of Metals—Silver, Lead, Copper, Tin.
Year 1907	... ... ... ... 1,343	1,354	1,461
" 1908	... ... ... ... 1,164	1,122	1,073
" 1909	... ... ... ... 1,188	1,137	1,066
" 1910	... ... ... ... 1,205	1,214	1,111
" 1911	... ... ... ... 1,194	1,194	1,189
December, 1907	... ... ... ... 1,207	1,246	1,085
" 1908	... ... ... ... 1,131	1,096	1,091
" 1909	... ... ... ... 1,181	1,154	1,080
" 1910	... ... ... ... 1,215	1,248	1,154
August 1911	... ... ... ... 1,201	1,203	1,198
September "	... ... ... ... 1,229	1,239	1,178
October "	... ... ... ... 1,239	1,244	1,192
November "	... ... ... ... 1,219	1,201	1,230
December, 1911	... ... ... ... 1,239	1,236	1,226

## No. 48.—Manufactories.

Year.	Number of Establish- ments.	Persons Employed.			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Total Wages Paid.	Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
1900	... 3,077	No. 50,516	No. 10,263	No. 60,779	£5,707,640	£4,974,216	Not available
1901	... 3,397	54,556	11,674	66,230	5,860,725	4,945,079	25,648,471
1902	... 3,396	54,326	11,943	66,269	6,807,843	5,080,740	Not available
1903	... 3,476	52,453	13,180	65,633	7,121,806	4,839,557	26,391,028
1904	... 3,632	53,457	14,579	68,036	7,648,903	5,012,758	27,159,230
1905	... 3,700	56,117	16,058	72,175	8,031,950	5,191,350	30,028,150
1906	... 3,861	59,979	17,843	77,822	8,407,337	5,591,888	34,796,169
1907	... 4,432	65,953	20,514	86,467	9,155,772	6,650,715	40,018,301
1908	... 4,453	67,616	21,482	89,098	9,718,842	7,218,556	40,163,826
1909	... 4,581	69,184	22,518	91,702	10,330,724	7,665,125†	42,960,689
*1910	... 4,823	75,419	24,327	99,746	11,578,620	8,691,386§	49,615,643

\* See also Table 49. † Includes salaries £719,134 and wages £6,945,991, of which females received £34,608 and £806,785 respectively. § Of this amount males received £7,728,689 and females £962,697.

## No. 49.—Manufacturing Industries, 1910.

Class of Industry.	Establishments.	Persons Employed.			Salaries and Wages.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	289	3,913	73	3,986	323,544
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c.	43	568	197	765	60,409
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c.	298	4,820	62	4,882	453,537
Working in Wood	620	7,382	41	7,423	630,216
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	476	20,587	116	20,703	2,378,610
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	767	10,130	2,988	13,118	1,158,523
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	936	7,325	17,272	24,597	1,397,639
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving	497	6,524	2,118	8,642	807,754
Musical Instruments, &c.	13	347	36	383	40,337
Arms and Explosives	5	30	15	45	2,080
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	361	3,975	80	4,055	346,991
Ship and Boat Building	42	1,995	...	1,995	222,101
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery	176	2,907	311	3,218	284,865
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products	76	775	567	1,342	103,721
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments	11	68	19	87	6,991
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware	46	597	61	658	58,769
Heat, Light, and Power	178	2,468	48	2,516	326,860
Leatherware, n.e.i.	21	330	62	392	26,857
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	58	678	261	939	61,582
Total	4,823	75,419	24,327	99,746	£8,691,386
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	Value of Machinery, Implements, and Plant.	Value of Materials used.	Value of Fuel Consumed.	Value of Goods Manufactured or work done.	Value of Production, being value added to Raw Materials.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	354,562	£3,959,481	45,955	£4,688,061	682,625
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c.	174,001	625,432	13,839	886,027	246,756
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c.	695,082	226,084	147,768	1,186,274	812,422
Working in Wood	609,607	1,441,719	10,246	2,468,452	1,016,487
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	2,670,504	6,066,309	453,422	10,751,443	4,231,712
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,887,467	13,455,491	185,546	16,956,241	3,315,204
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	442,845	2,446,561	24,362	4,671,047	2,200,724
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving	915,848	712,785	23,549	2,076,433	1,340,099
Musical Instruments, &c.	9,630	71,443	502	139,505	67,560
Arms and Explosives	1,280	4,819	35	7,500	2,646
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	85,114	420,608	9,287	968,173	538,278
Ship and Boat Building	362,855	123,400	10,487	402,363	268,476
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery	43,375	422,805	4,171	857,946	430,970
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products	167,449	442,755	15,540	833,161	374,866
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments	3,951	6,918	164	24,444	17,362
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware	20,298	87,294	1,409	190,310	101,607
Heat, Light, and Power	2,068,638	621,502	234,970	2,056,192	1,199,720
Leatherware, n.e.i.	11,474	106,250	615	161,518	54,653
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	54,640	174,923	2,415	289,953	112,615
Total	£11,578,620	31,416,579	1,184,282	49,615,643	£17,014,782

\* If £221,194, the value added to articles already included in primary industries, be deducted, the total value of the production from the manufacturing industries is £16,793,588.      † Including value of wool treated.      ‡ Of this amount males received £7,728,689, and females £962,697.

## No. 50.—Manufactories—Value of Production, 1901-1910.

Class of Industry.	1901. (Census Year)	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	337,739	555,068	582,673	646,620	682,625
Oils and Fats, &c.	160,718	191,721	212,891	236,837	246,756
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c.	422,272	561,280	627,506	674,142	812,422
Working in Wood	649,149	801,053	822,973	903,043	1,016,487
Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	2,443,432	3,586,103	3,219,156	3,425,875	4,231,712
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,373,369	2,572,503	2,470,914	2,734,190	3,094,010
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Material	1,091,244	1,716,989	1,881,117	1,957,330	2,200,724
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving	950,771	1,071,864	1,068,387	1,199,220	1,340,099
Musical Instruments, &c.	22,309	65,742	71,024	62,700	67,560
Arms and Explosives	1,480	1,620	2,924	2,802	2,646
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	266,016	392,036	443,899	444,100	538,278
Ship and Boat Building	148,800	278,630	285,566	256,322	268,476
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery	220,434	301,010	327,456	368,095	430,970
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products	74,006	266,880	289,696	317,787	374,866
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments	17,304	13,903	16,945	16,301	17,362
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware	24,698	79,382	89,283	87,011	101,607
Heat, Light, and Power	624,567	920,390	1,087,005	1,055,232	1,199,720
Leatherware, n.e.i.	12,243	32,302	40,640	43,389	54,653
Minor Wares, n.e.i.	37,047	72,376	93,340	104,766	112,615
Total	9,741,598	13,480,852	13,633,395	14,535,762	16,793,588

NOTE.—The value of production from factories dealing with milk products is omitted, as it has already been included in the returns of the Dairying Industry.

## No. 51.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1891-1909.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production. The figures are not exact, but are considered the best approximations from the data available.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

Year.	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Mining.	Dairying.	Minor—Poultry, Bees, Rabbits.	Forests and Fisheries.	Total Primary Industries.	Manufacturing (Value added to raw materials).	Total All Industries.
1891	14,725	3,615	6,434	2,735	*	758	28,267	7,799	36,066
1894	11,168	3,439	4,947	2,548	*	690	22,792	6,880	29,672
1895	11,774	4,101	4,499	2,546	*	715	23,635	7,006	30,641
1896	11,774	5,374	4,465	2,546	*	715	24,874	7,302	32,176
1897	11,823	6,250	4,616	2,653	*	750	26,092	8,079	34,171
1898	13,219	4,875	4,756	2,758	*	800	26,408	8,425	34,833
1899	14,527	5,609	5,960	2,543	*	639	29,278	9,207	38,485
1900	13,707	5,856	6,362	3,617	*	796	30,338	9,656	39,994
1901	12,552	7,060	5,681	3,046	*	733	29,072	9,742	38,814
1902	10,731	4,139	5,102	3,403	*	695	24,070	10,000	34,070
1903	12,777	8,359	5,958	3,276	*	779	31,149	9,601	40,750
1904	13,373	5,414	6,243	2,753	799	900	29,482	9,899	39,381
1905	17,113	6,543	6,897	3,123	1,128	1,190	36,094	10,631	46,725
1906	19,743	7,518	7,913	3,425	1,693	1,536	41,828	11,906	53,734
1907	22,281	6,588	10,295	3,567	1,708	1,382	45,821	13,481	59,302
1908	18,846	8,319	8,384	4,064	1,732	1,165	42,510	13,633	56,143
1909	19,040	10,908	7,403	3,983	1,990	1,096	44,420	14,536	58,956
1910	21,028	9,493	8,455	4,776	2,119	1,108	46,979	16,794	63,773

\* Prior to 1904 included with the Dairying Industry.

## No. 52.—Current Rates of Wages.

NOTE.—The rates of wages shown below, with few exceptions, have been fixed by Wages Boards.

**Bakers (bread)—**

Board hands, 52/- per week; machine hands, 42/- per week; (16½ to 20 years), 15/- to 37/- per week.

**Blacksmiths**, 54/- to 64/- per week.

**Boilermakers—**

1½ per hour, 1d. per hour additional, dirt money.

**Bookbinders**, 56/- per week.

**Bootmakers**—Male, 54/-, 1½ per hour.

**Brassmoulders**, 1/3 and 1½ per hour.

**Bread-carters** (60 hours per week), min. 45/-.

**Brewery and Aerated Water Factory Hands**, adult males, 41/- to 50/- per week; adult females, 20/- per week.

**Bricklayers**, 1/6 to 1½ per hour.

**Brick-carters**, 1 horse, 40/- per week; 2 horses, 48/- per week; 3 horses, 52/-; 3½ per week extra for each additional horse.

**Brickmakers—**

Burners, 9/6 per shift; machine men, 1½ per hour; pitmen, 1/2 per hour.

**Brushmakers**, 1/3 per hour, or 52/- per week.

**Butchers (city)**, without board, 55/- to 65/-.

**Carpenters and Joiners**, 1/4 per hour; leading hands, 1/6 per hour.

**Carters**. (See "Trolley and Draymen.")

**Cabinetmakers**, min. 56/-.

**Chairmakers**, min. 56/-.

**Cigarmakers**, 40/- per week.

**Coach-painters**, 9/4 per day.

**Coachsmiths**, 9/4 per day.

**Coal-lumpers**, 1½ per hour, day work; 2/3 per hour, night work.

**Coke-lumpers**, 1½ per hour; night work, 2/3 per hour.

**Compositors (hand)**—Journeymen, 56/- to 60/- per week.

" " Piece-work, 1/- to 1½ per 1,000 ens.

**Compositors (machine)**—Linotype (newspapers), 3½d. per 1,000 ens (flat rate).

Operators, 1/6 per hour.

**Coopers (piece-work)**, 1/4 per hour.

**Dockers and Painters**, 1/- to 1½ per hour; overtime, time and half.

**Drapers**. (See "Shop Assistants.")

**Electricians—**

Mechanics, 9/6 per day.

Fitters, 11/- per day.

**Engine-drivers (stationary)**, 1½ to 1¼ per hour.

Firemen, 1½, 1½, and 1½ per hour.

**Farrriers**—Firemen, 66/- per week.

Floormen, 60/- "

French-polishers, 54/- per week.

Galvanised Iron-workers, 1½ per hour.

Glass-workers, 56/- to 66/- per week.

**Grocers**. (See "Shop Assistants.")

**Hairdressers** (50 hours per week), 48/- to 58/-.

**Ironmongers**. (See "Shop Assistants.")

**Ironmoulders**, 1/3½ and 1½ per hour.

**Jam Factory Workers—**

Males, adults, 50/- and 45/-; boys, 15/- to 32½ per week.

Females, adults, 20/-; girls, 15/-; female fillers, 21/- and 30/- per week.

**Labourers—General**, 8/- per day.

**Letter-press Machinists**, min. 52/6, and 60/- per week.

**Lithographers**, min. 62/6 and 67/6 per week.

**Malt-house Hands**, 46/- per week.

**Marble-workers**, 1/2½ to 1½ per hour, or 9/6 to 11/- per day.

**Masons and Stone-cutters**, 1/6 per hour.

**Navvies**, 1/- per hour.

**Painters** (44 hours per week), 1/- to 1/3 per hour; average 45/-.

**Paperhangers**, 1/- to 1½ per hour.

**Plasterers**, 1/4 to 1/6 per hour.

**Plumbers**, 1/4½ to 1½.

**Saddlers** 54/- per week, or 1½ per hour.

**Saw-mill Employees** per hour, **Machinists**, 18. 3d.; **Saw Sharpeners**, 18. 2½d.; **Sawyers**, 18. 0½d. to 18. 1½d.; **Engine-drivers**, 18.

**Shop Assistants (Metropolitan Retail Grocers)**, 7/6 to 47/6 per week.

**Shop Assistants (Metropolitan Drapers)**, adults—  
Males, 52/6 per week.

Females, 30/- per week.

**Slaters and Tilers**, 1/6 per hour.

**Tailors**, 55/- per week.

" **Pressers**, 55/- per week.

**Tailoresses (coat hands)**, order, 27/6 per week and 32/6.

" **(trousers hands)**, order, 22/6 to 26/- per week.

" **(machinist)**, shop, 28/-.

" **(machinist employed on trousers, vest, or coat) factory**, 21/-.

" **(expert machinist)**, factory, juvenile coat, 23/-.

" **(expert machinist)**, factory, coats, 25/- per week.

**Tinsmiths**, 11½d. to 1½ per hour.

**Trolley and Draymen—**

**Coal Carters—**

1 horse, 46/- per week.

2 horses, 51/-

3/- per week for each extra horse. **Working week** not to exceed 56 hours.

**Timber-carters**, 1 horse, 46/-; 2 horses, 50/-, and 3½/- per week for each extra horse.

**Tip-carters**, 1 horse, 45/-; 2 horses, 49/-; 6d. per week extra for each additional horse.

**Typewriters (females)**, 10/- to 30/- per week.

**Upholsterers**, 70/- per week.

**Wharf Labourers—**

Deep sea, 16\* per hour; 2/3 overtime.

Interstate and Coastal, 1/3 per hour; 1/10½ overtime.

**Wheelwrights**, 9/4 per day.

**Ferry Employees.**

**Engine-drivers**, £15 to £16 10/- per month.

**Firemen**, 47/6 to 52/6 per week.

\* With the exception of frozen cargo loading, for which 1s. 9d. per hour for day labour, and 2s. 6d. per hour for night labour, is paid.



## No. 54.—Crown Lands Selections, 1911.

The following statements show—(first) the Land Selected; and (second), the Area made available for Residential Settlement during the month of December, 1911, and during the period from 1st January to 31st December, 1911:—

## LANDS SELECTED UNDER THE "CROWN LANDS ACT."

Description of Holding.	During December, 1911.		1st Jan. to 31st Dec., 1911.	
	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).	No. of Applicants.	Area (acres).
<b>ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.</b>				
Conditional Purchase Leases ... ...	1	238	24	10,572
Original Conditional Purchases ... ...	27	4,174	559	84,073
*Conditional Leases applied for simultaneously with and in virtue of these O.C. Purchases	(10)	4,145	(301)	111,809
Original Homestead Selections ... ...	8	1,551	331	72,539
Original Settlement Leases ... ...	1	2,422	92	359,328
Special Conditional Purchase Leases ... ...	...	...	1	33
Settlement Purchases ... ... ...	2	1,147	227	82,014
Total ... ... ...	39	13,677	1,234	720,368
<b>ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.</b>				
Additional Conditional Purchases ... ...	47	8,389	731	114,741
Additional Conditional Leases ... ...	47	14,598	648	194,363
Additional Homestead Selections ... ...	1	90	41	12,814
Additional Settlement Leases ... ...	1	535	22	23,315
Additional Conditional Purchase Leases ... ...	...	...	4	804
Total ... ... ...	96	23,612	1,446	346,067

\* A Conditional Lease may be of any area not exceeding three times that of the associated Conditional Purchase, and is usually taken up at the same time as the Conditional Purchase. It is not, however, treated as an additional holding.

## AREAS SPECIALLY SET APART FOR RESIDENTIAL SETTLEMENT.

Description of Holding.	During December, 1911.		1st Jan. to 31st Dec., 1911.	
	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).	No. of Blocks.	Area (acres).
<b>ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.</b>				
For Conditional Purchase Lease ... ...	...	...	...	...
Original Conditional Purchase ... ...	...	...	1	46
Original Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease in virtue thereof ...	...	...	...	...
Special Conditional Purchase Lease ...	...	...	...	...
Original Homestead Selection ... ...	...	...	377	79,124
Original Settlement Lease ... ...	...	...	104	364,919
Settlement Purchase ... ...	...	...	216	67,513
Total ... ... ...	...	...	608	511,602
<b>ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.</b>				
For all forms of Additional Holdings ...	55	82,280	477	304,587
Additional Conditional Purchase ...	3	367	9	1,284
Additional Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease ...	...	...	...	...
Additional Homestead Selection ...	2	2	12	570
Additional Settlement Lease ...	...	...	3	2,167
Additional Conditional Purchase, Conditional Lease, or Additional Homestead Selection ... ...	...	...	...	...
Total ... ... ...	60	82,649	501	308,608

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## No. 55.—Postal Communication.

Year.	Post Offices open.	Letters and Letter Cards carried.	Post Cards carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Miles of Telegraph and Telephone Line.	Telegrams transmitted
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1900	... ...	2,189	78,129,284	1,473,410	51,500,920	14,558,454	14,065 3,219,907
1901	... ...	2,208	81,152,977	1,630,490	52,317,650	15,216,387	14,272 3,449,315
1902	... ...	2,216	89,047,055	1,734,340	47,763,350	16,995,440	14,356 3,627,369
1903	... ...	2,228	90,264,671	1,973,540	37,900,840	16,305,421	14,395 3,638,591
1904	... ...	2,239	95,006,923	3,263,264	40,384,812	19,485,389	14,491 3,637,280
1905	... ...	2,266	103,576,306	8,382,282	44,599,104	23,077,094	14,827 3,837,962
1906	... ...	2,288	115,062,748	12,621,096	47,144,094	25,201,131	15,417 4,452,506
1907	... ...	2,319	122,130,948	15,097,710	48,340,646	37,191,554	15,910 4,894,83
1908	... ...	2,368	134,684,520	14,969,312	50,461,252	38,330,311	16,338 5,149,763
1909	... ...	2,397	139,058,694	12,511,546	56,002,764	38,849,363	17,087 5,177,962
1910	... ...	2,437	151,315,512	12,438,544	66,963,559	40,609,036	17,615 5,607,178

## No. 56.—Health of the Metropolis—December, 1911.

In the following statement due allowance has been made for increase in population.

Particulars.	December 1911.	Average of December for previous 5 years.	Causes of Death.		December 1911.	Average of December for previous 5 years.
Births	... ...	1,398	1,298	Diarrhoea and Enteritis	110	94
Deaths	... ...	649	586	Diseases of the Heart	54	59
Illegitimate Births	... ...	129	140	Cancer	53	46
Deaths under 1	... ...	164	149	Wasting Diseases of Infants	49	45
,, 1 - 4	... ...	44	41	Phthisis	37	40
,, 5 - 64	... ...	293	274	Bright's Disease	35	31
,, 65 and over	... ...	148	122	Pulmonary Diseases	34	34
Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population—				Accident	33	21
Births	... ...	26·55	24·64	Hæmorrhage of the Brain, &c.	26	25
Deaths	... ...	12·32	11·10	Senility	26	21
Illegitimate Births	... ...	2·44	2·64	Epidemic Diseases	24	34
Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births	117	115				

The population of the Metropolis on 1st January, 1911, was estimated at 631,000.

## No. 57.—Estimate of Oats Crop, 1911-12.

Divisions.	AREA UNDER OATS.				ESTIMATED YIELD OF OATS.	
	For Grain.	For Hay.	Fed-off, &c.	Total.	Grain.	-Hay.
Northern Tableland ... ... ...	6,516	22,750	379	29,645	167,900	26,000
Central " ... ... ..	11,160	29,784	707	41,651	231,400	38,000
Southern " ... ... ..	3,772	22,587	376	26,735	81,000	23,000
Total, Tableland ... ... ...	21,448	75,121	1,462	98,031	480,300	87,000
North-Western Slope ... ... ...	961	2,135	952	4,048	8,500	2,500
Central " " ... ..	8,166	8,047	350	16,563	142,000	10,000
South " " ... ..	25,379	28,356	262	53,997	567,500	39,000
Total, Western Slopes ... ... ...	34,506	38,538	1,564	74,608	718,000	51,500
Central-Western Plain ... ... ...	2,943	1,312	66	4,321	58,800	1,000
Fiverina ... ... ...	24,469	18,089	355	42,913	452,600	20,000
Other Divisions ... ... ...	323	12,171	10,244	22,738	5,300	20,500
Total, New South Wales ... ...	83,689	145,231	13,691	242,611	1,715,000	180,000
Actual Figures for 1910-11 ...	77,991	142,805	11,463	232,259	1,702,706	193,064

## No. 58.—The area under Fruit Gardens and Orchards, 1900-1 to 1910-11.

Season.	Citrus Fruit.		Other Fruit.		All Fruit.		
	Productive.	Total.	Productive.	Total.	Productive.	Young Trees not bearing.	Total.
1900-1 ... ...	acres. 11,013	acres. 14,965	acres. 25,766	acres. 31,269	acres. 36,779	acres. 9,455	acres. 46,234
1901-2 ... ...	11,670	15,761	27,044	32,346	38,714	9,393	48,107
1902-3 ... ...	12,550	16,207	27,161	31,377	39,711	7,873	47,584
1903-4 ... ...	13,418	16,728	27,576	31,588	40,994	7,322	48,316
1904-5 ... ...	14,486	17,404	26,196	29,936	40,682	6,658	47,340
1905-6 ... ...	15,054	17,849	25,189	28,766	40,243	6,372	46,615
1906-7 ... ...	15,173	17,755	24,708	28,422	39,881	6,296	46,177
1907-8 ... ...	16,430	18,517	23,992	28,197	40,422	6,292	46,714
1908-9 ... ..	16,570	18,610	23,170	27,270	39,740	6,140	45,880
1909-10 ... ..	17,214	19,858	20,060	25,859	37,274	8,443	45,717
1910-11 ... ..	17,465	20,108	20,498	27,246	37,963	9,391	47,354

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## No. 59.—Value of Fruit Production.

Season.	Citrus Fruit.	Other Fruit.	Total.	Average Value per Acre of Productive Trees.
1900-1	81,478	170,081	251,159	6 16 7
1901-2	90,682	160,536	251,218	6 9 9
1902-3	116,700	180,640	297,340	7 9 9
1903-4	117,079	218,616	335,695	8 3 9
1904-5	82,480	162,670	245,150	6 0 6
1905-6	120,045	189,195	309,240	7 13 8
1906-7	122,460	230,135	352,595	8 17 0
1907-8	202,460	153,110	355,570	8 16 0
1908-9	129,610	231,370	360,980	9 1 8
1909-10	196,820	233,050	429,870	11 10 8
1910-11	199,300	272,290	471,590	12 8 5

## No. 60.—Fruit Gardens and Orchards (excluding Nursery Stocks)—1910-11.

Class of Fruit.	Trees of Bearing Age.	Young Trees not yet Bearing.	Total Production.
Oranges ...	893,448	179,739	825,388
Lemons ...	248,008	30,490	260,515
Mandarins ...	405,306	39,537	389,114
Other citrus ...	3,631	2,275	3,289
Total, Citrus Fruit ...	1,550,393	252,041	1,478,306
Cherries ...	122,395	35,948	171,104 12 lb. cases.
Apples ...	515,847	280,074	596,561 bushels.
Pears ...	116,003	49,753	135,405 "
Peaches and Nectarines ...	571,695	128,212	483,769 "
Plums and Prunes ...	125,251	36,525	123,411 "
Apricots ...	83,359	15,286	76,584 "
Quinces ...	43,622	4,782	56,844 "
Other Fruit ...	24,236	8,779	65,412 "
Total, all other Fruit ...	1,602,408	559,359	.....
Grand total ...	3,152,801	811,400	.....

## No. 61.—Area under, and Production of, Vineyards—1900-1 to 1910-11.

Season.	Area under Vines.				Production.		Value of Production.	
	For Wine.	For Fruit.	Young Vines.	Total.	Wine.	Table Grapes.	Wine.	Grapes.
1900-1	4,534	2,689	1,218	8,441	891,190	4,214	55,698	58,996
1901-2	4,889	2,503	1,214	8,606	868,479	3,475	54,280	32,433
1902-3	5,041	2,701	1,048	8,790	866,140	3,561	50,384	49,854
1903-4	5,101	2,796	1,043	8,940	1,086,820	4,213	72,454	49,152
1904-5	5,298	2,914	628	8,840	928,160	2,933	65,745	54,750
1905-6	5,279	2,788	687	8,754	831,700	2,749	62,750	51,330
1906-7	4,951	2,902	668	8,521	1,140,000	5,470	77,590	76,580
1907-8	4,044	3,106	733	8,483	778,500	2,978*	61,650	43,060
1908-9	4,472	3,124	655	8,251	736,262	3,150*	63,370	50,130
1909-10	4,561	3,090	679	8,330	808,870	4,181*	60,660	61,450
1910-11	4,354	3,164	803	8,321	805,600	3,914*	55,300	56,350

\* In addition, there were dried fruits—901 cwt. in 1908; 1,435 cwt. in 1909; 1,482 cwt. in 1910; and 2,656 cwt. in 1911.